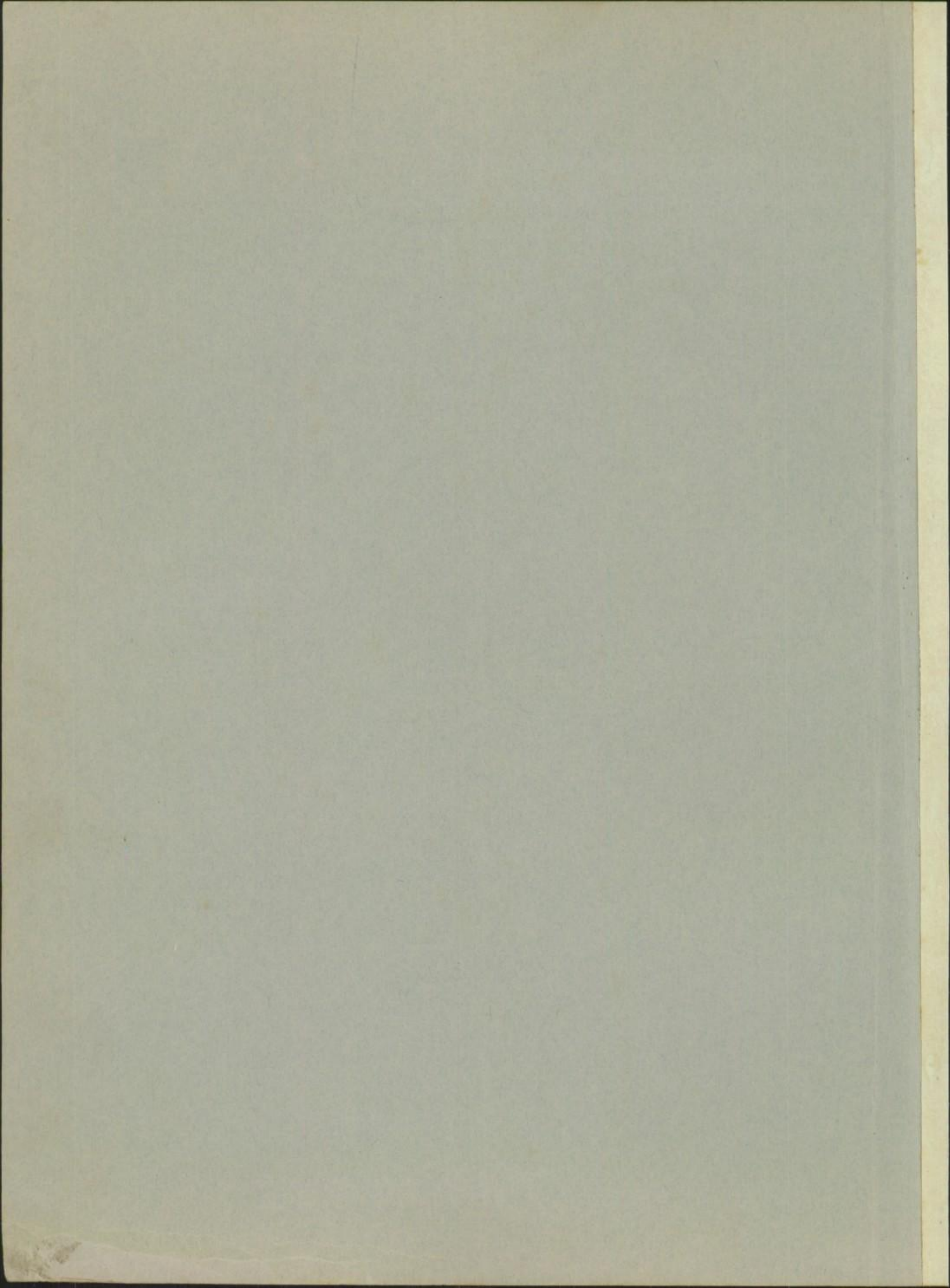
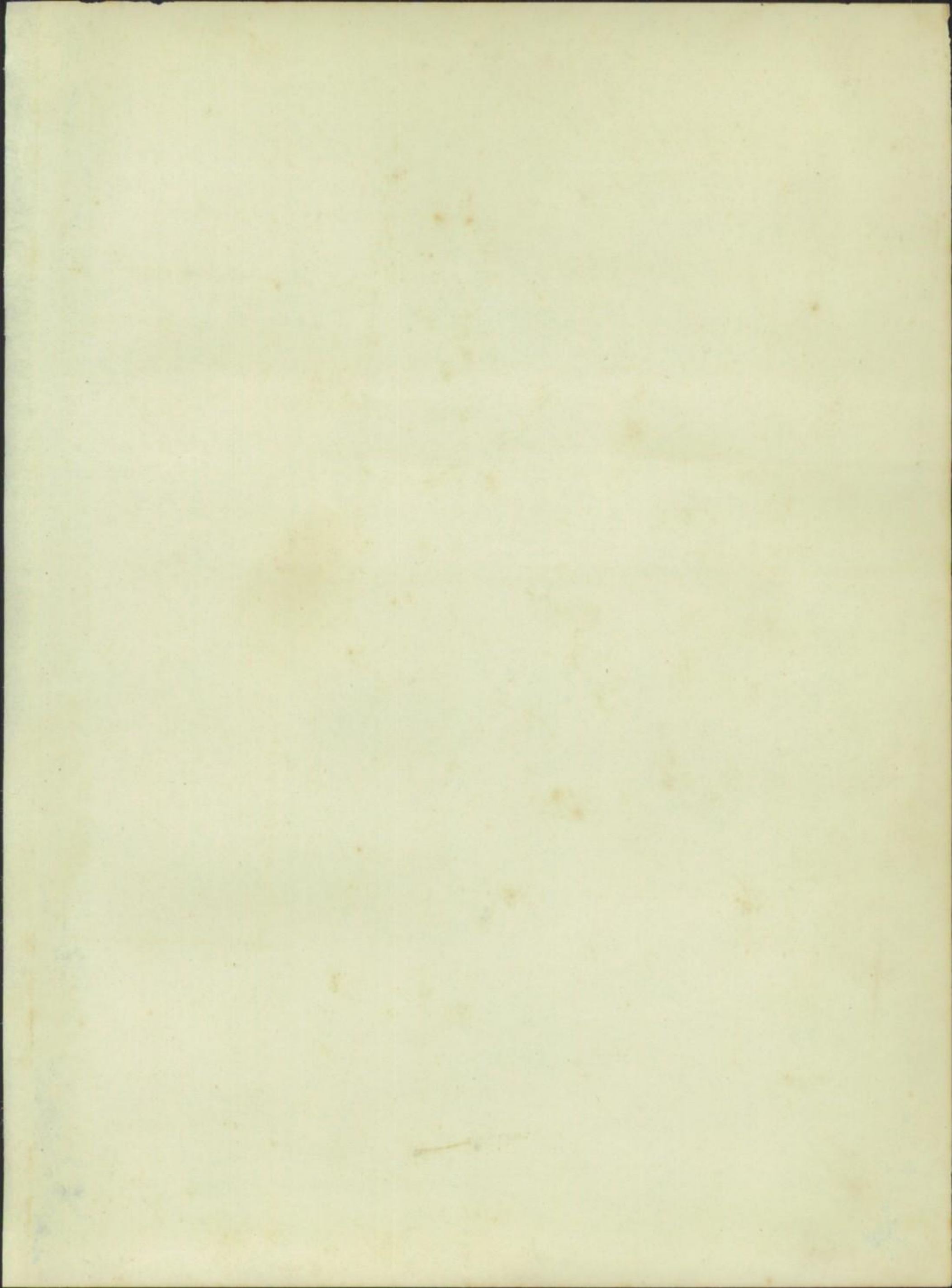




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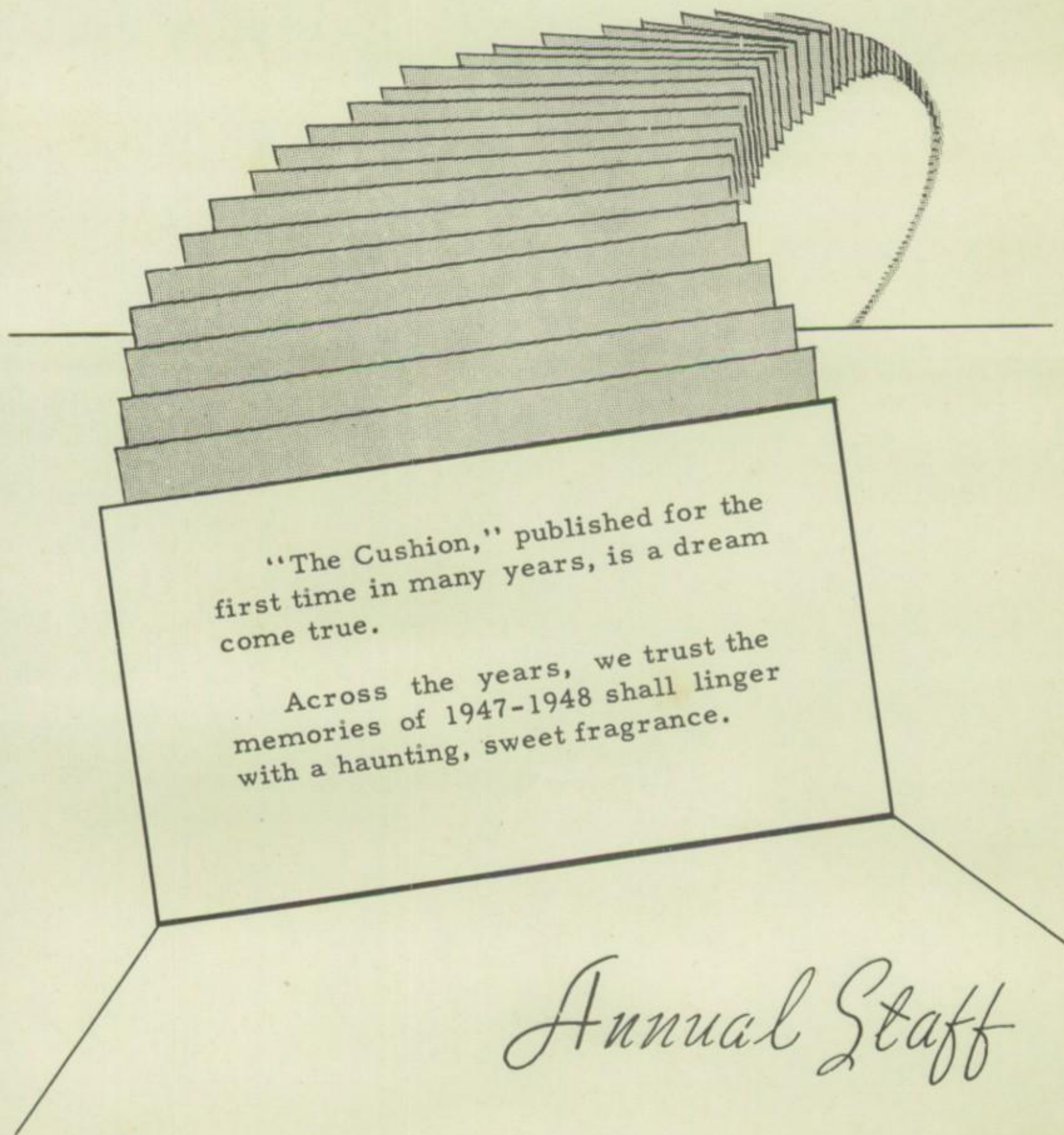


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CUSHING HIGH SCHOOL

Foreword



"The Cushion," published for the first time in many years, is a dream come true.

Across the years, we trust the memories of 1947-1948 shall linger with a haunting, sweet fragrance.

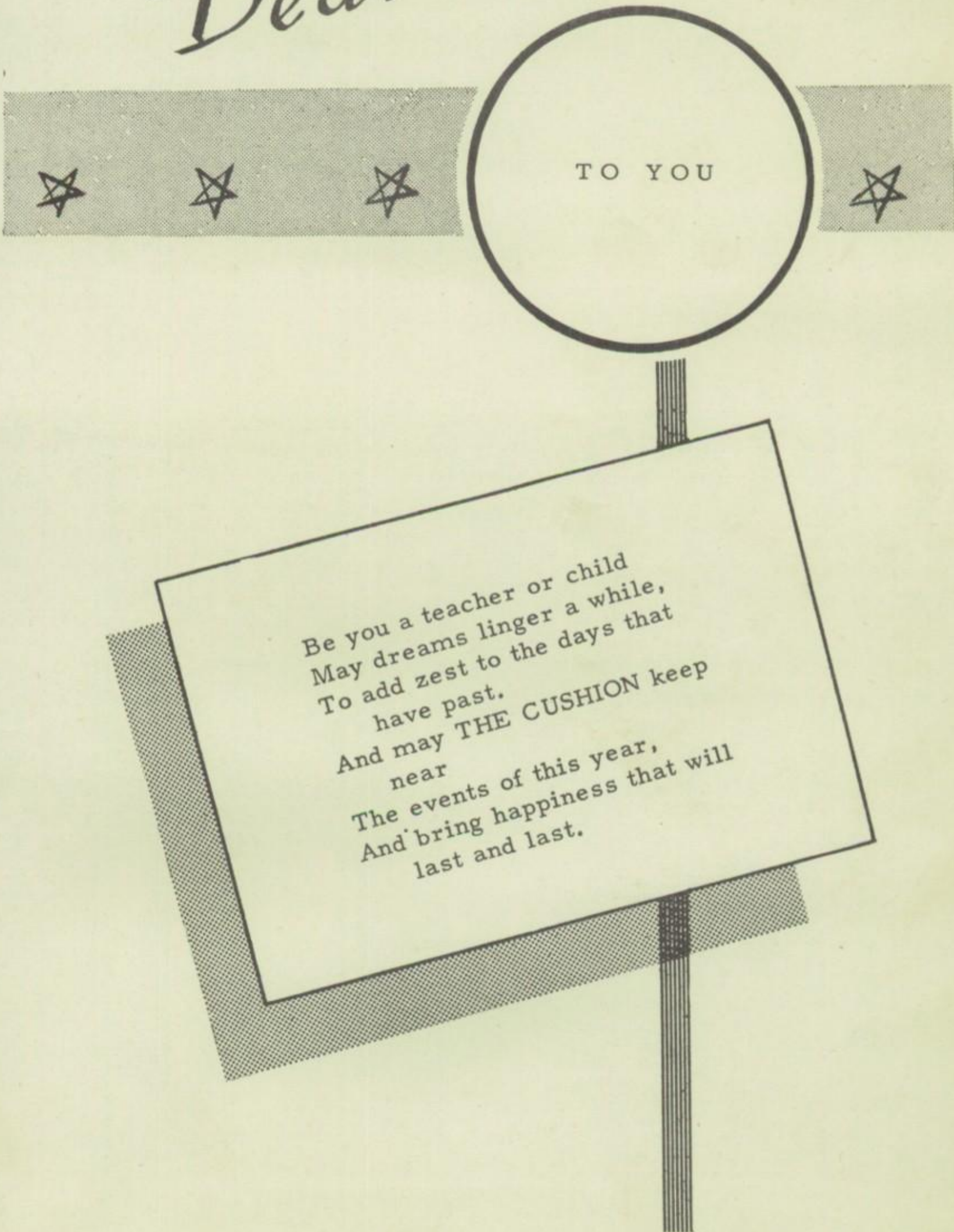
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on the 1st day of
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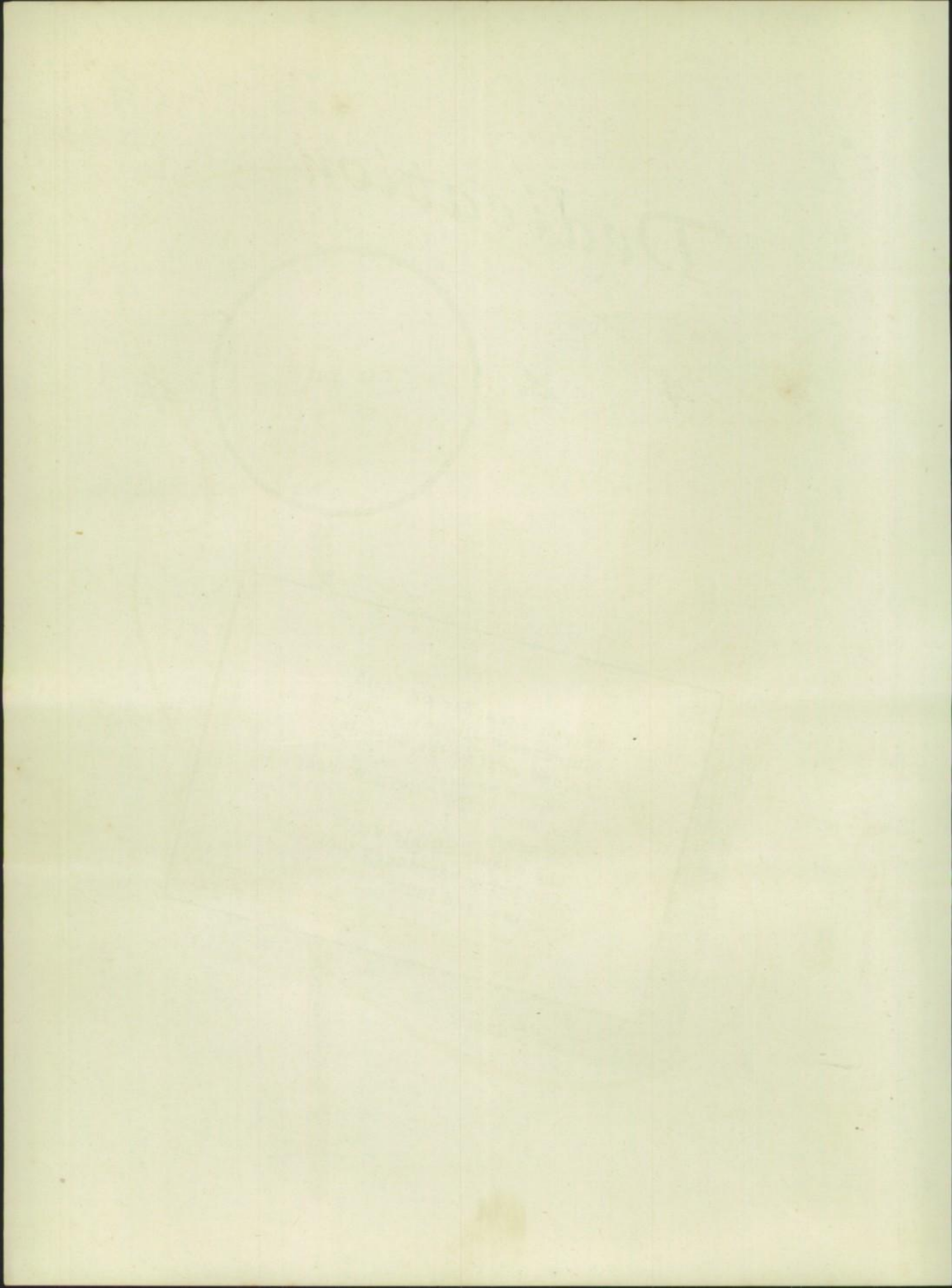
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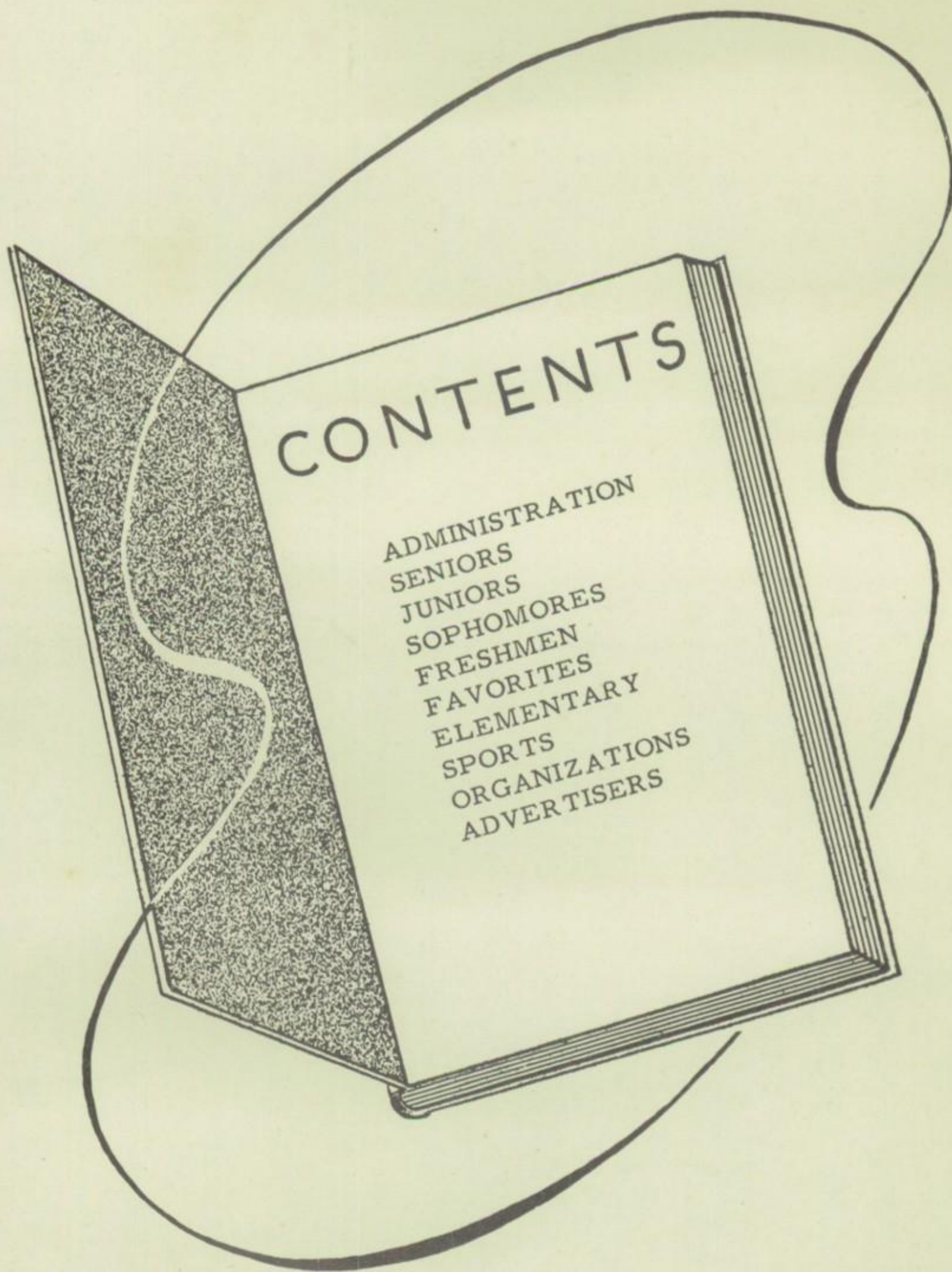
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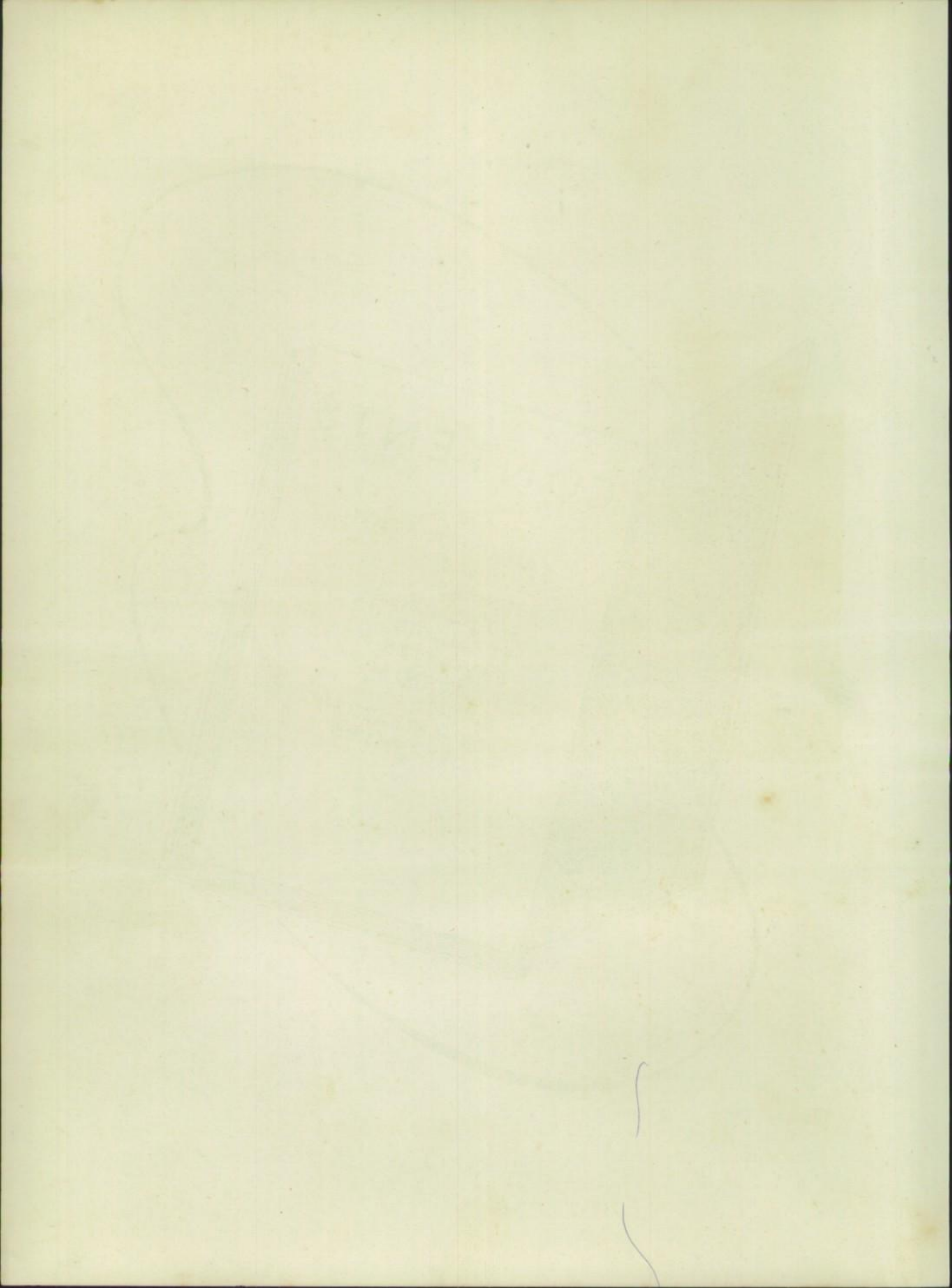
Be you a teacher or child
May dreams linger a while,
To add zest to the days that
have past.
And may THE CUSHION keep
near
The events of this year,
And bring happiness that will
last and last.





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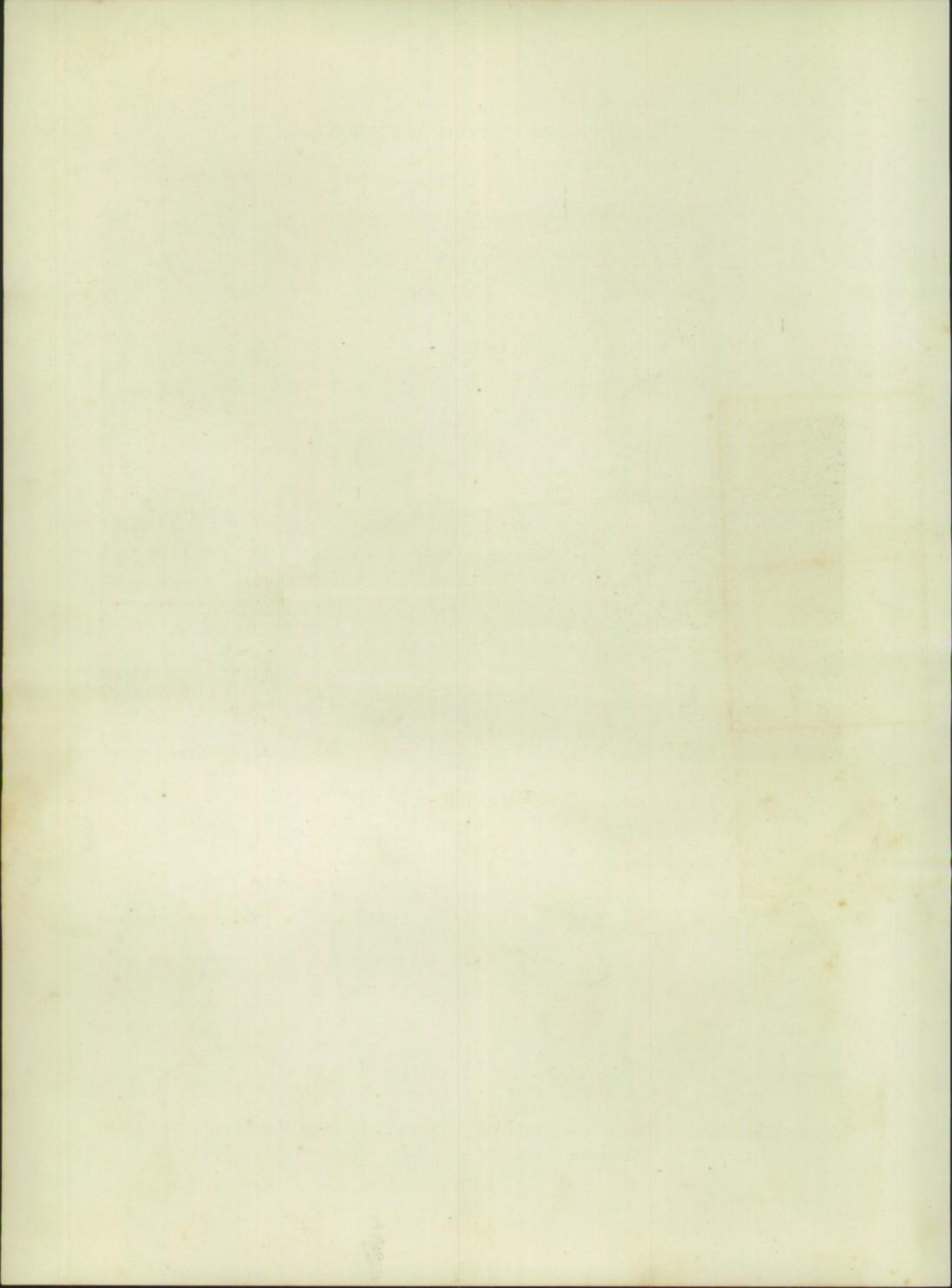
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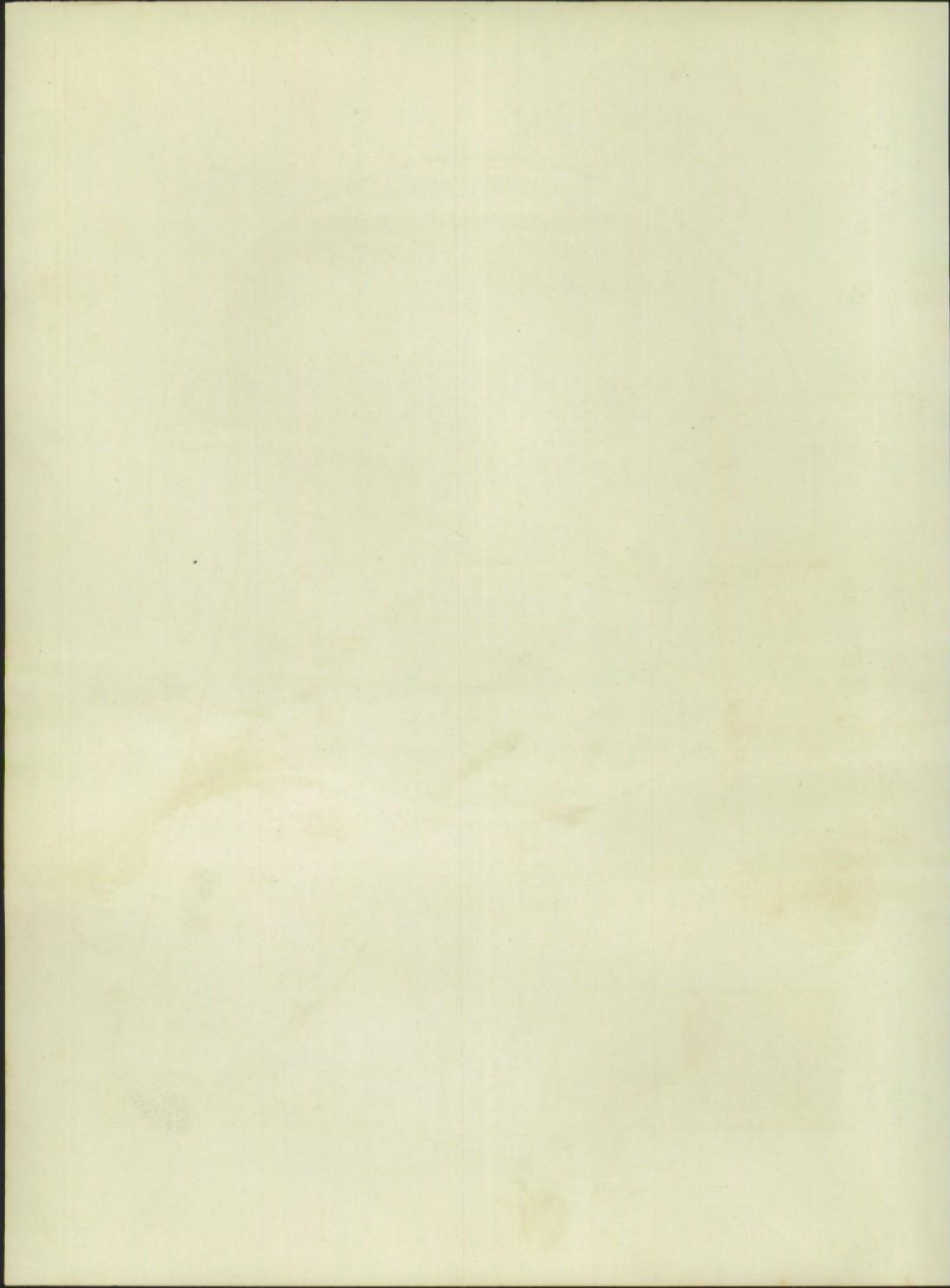


Katherine Spradley
Sponsor





administration



Superintendent's Message



J. H. Crenshaw

It is a genuine joy to see "The Cushion" a reality once again. The days ahead shall surely be filled with many pleasant "recalled memories" because of the efforts of the Annual Staff.

As your superintendent, may I wish every member of the faculty, student body, and all others affiliated with our fine school, a happy journey to the most abundant type of living.

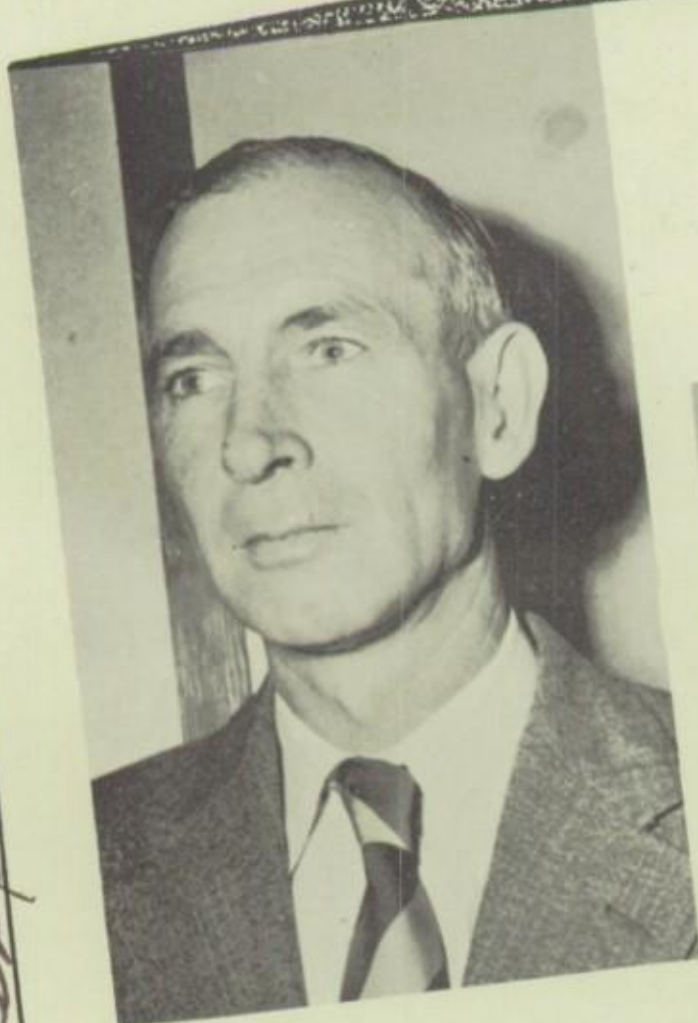
Most sincerely yours,
J. H. Crenshaw
J. H. Crenshaw

Principal's Message

To Each Child:

We wish for each of you
a worthy share of success
at school and every good
thing for your adult life
which lies in the future.

Sincerely yours,
C. G. Neill
James Rogers

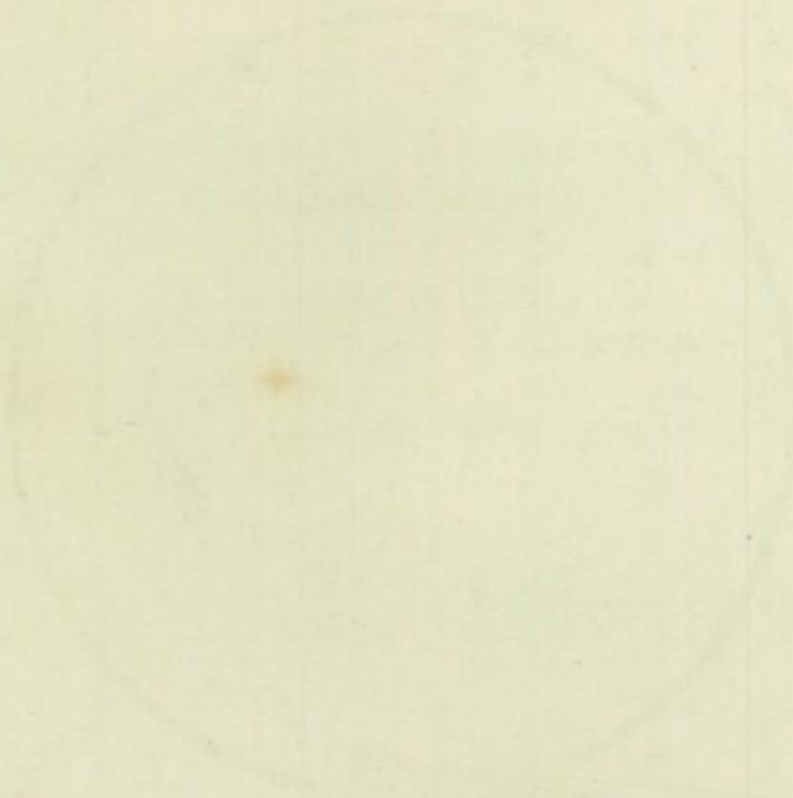


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High School
Principal

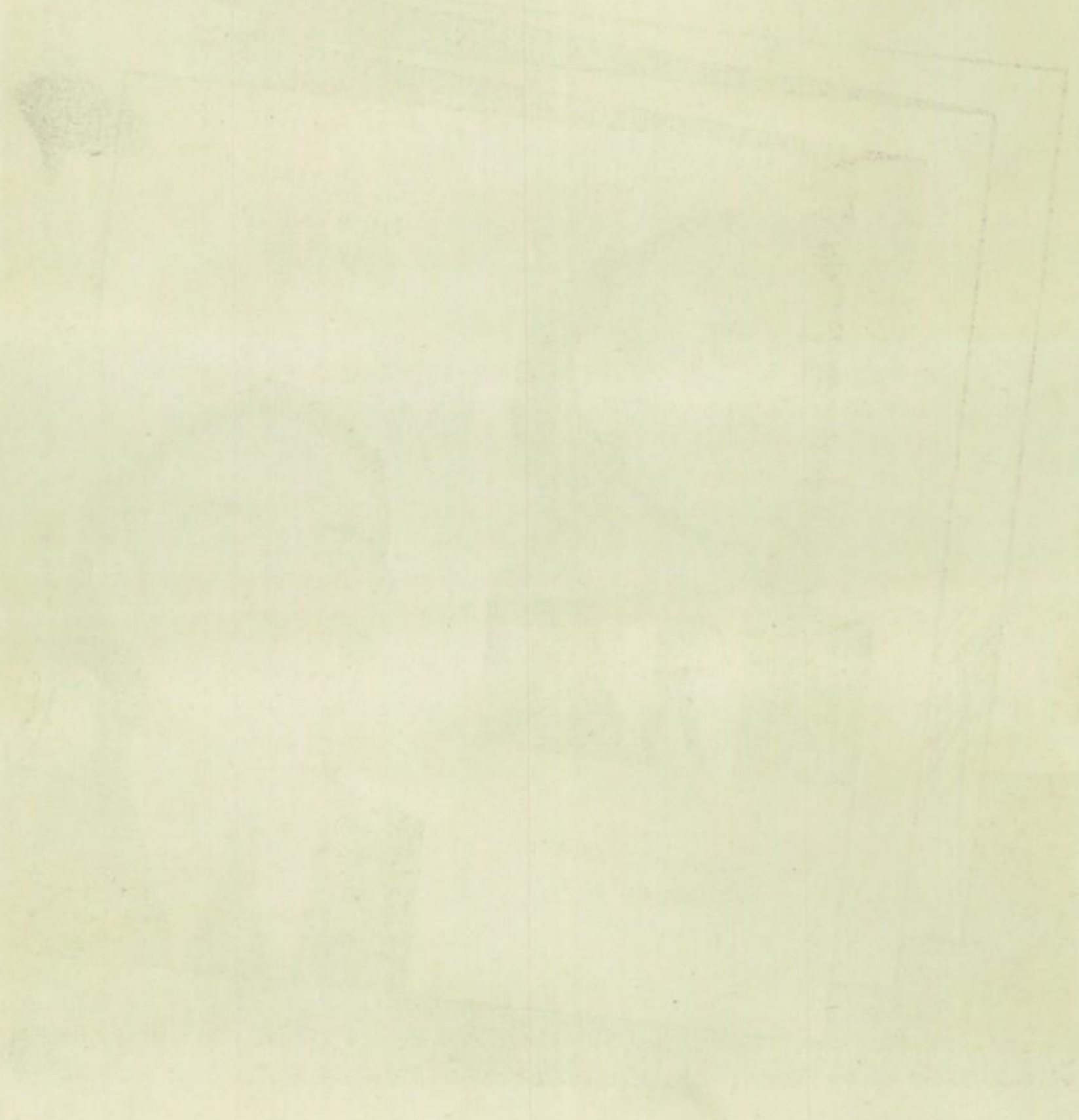


James Rogers
Elementary
Principal

James Rogers



*Providence
Mass*



Our "very own" masculine part of the faculty
 Mr. J. H. Crenshaw, Superintendent
 Mr. C. G. Neill, High School Principal
 Mr. James Rogers, Elementary Principal and Coach
 Mr. Allen McCrary, Vocational Agriculture



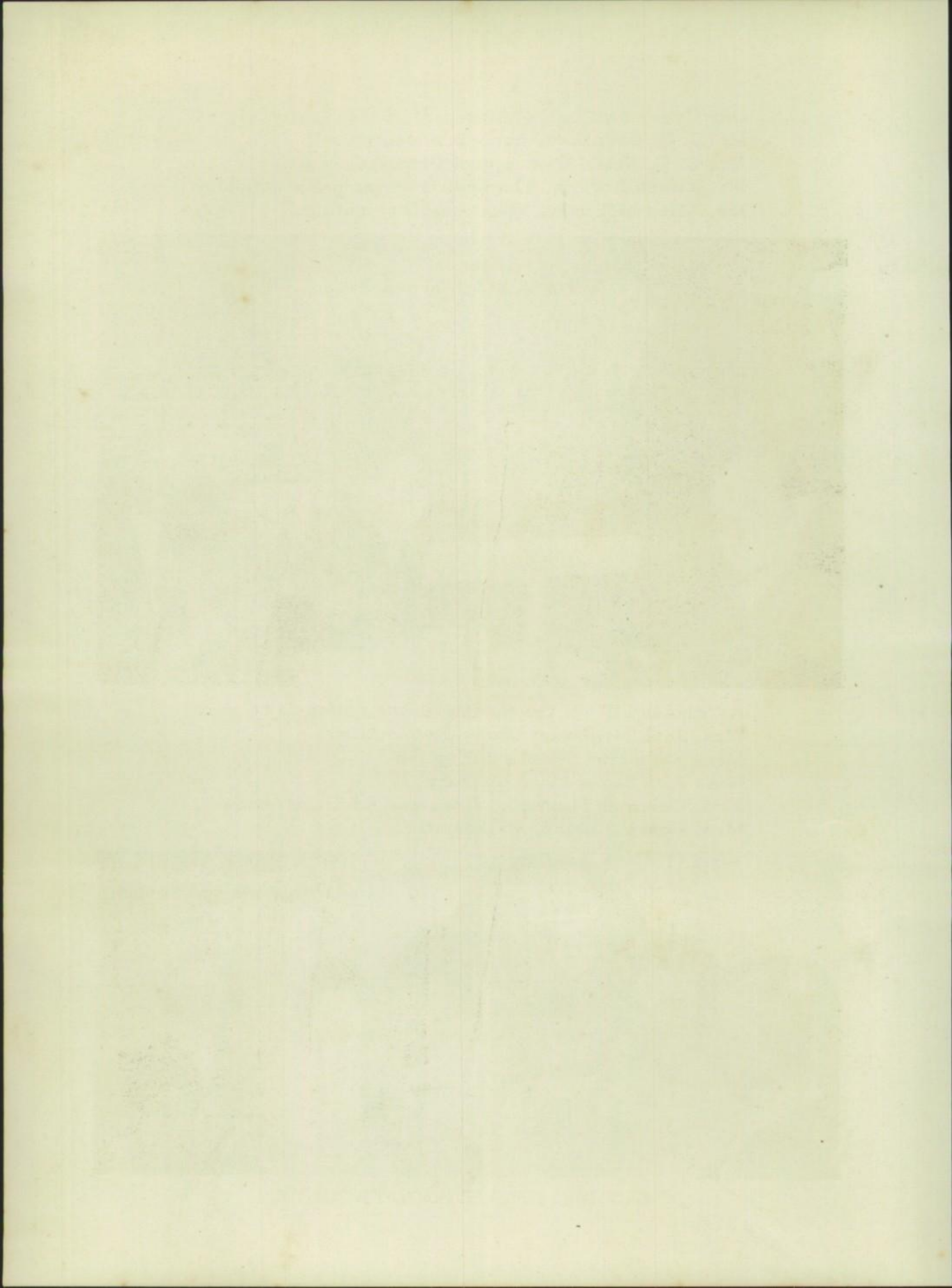
A "choice bit" of the faculty ... the ladies to be sure
 Mrs. Jack Mochwart, Home Economics
 Miss Katherine Spradley, English
 Miss Rita Satterwhite, History
 Mrs. Coleman Simmons, Business Administration
 Mrs. Henry Jenkins, Mathematics



CUSHING HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Good luck Lois Mochwart

*Sincere good
wishes, Spradley*





Mrs. H. H. Gibson
Private Music Teacher



OUR SCHOOL LUNCH PERSONNEL

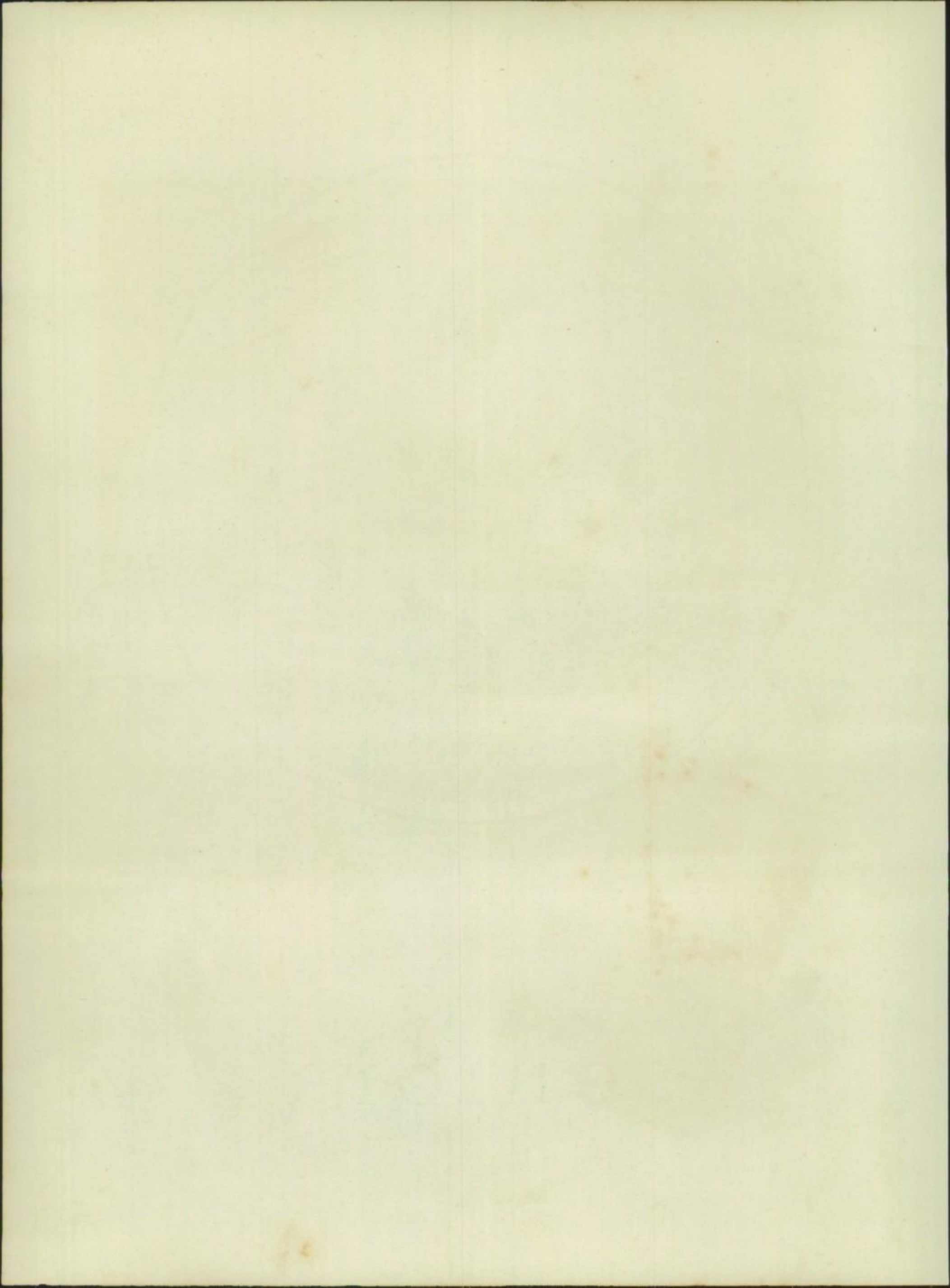


Mr. John Acrey
Plant Superintendent





seniors

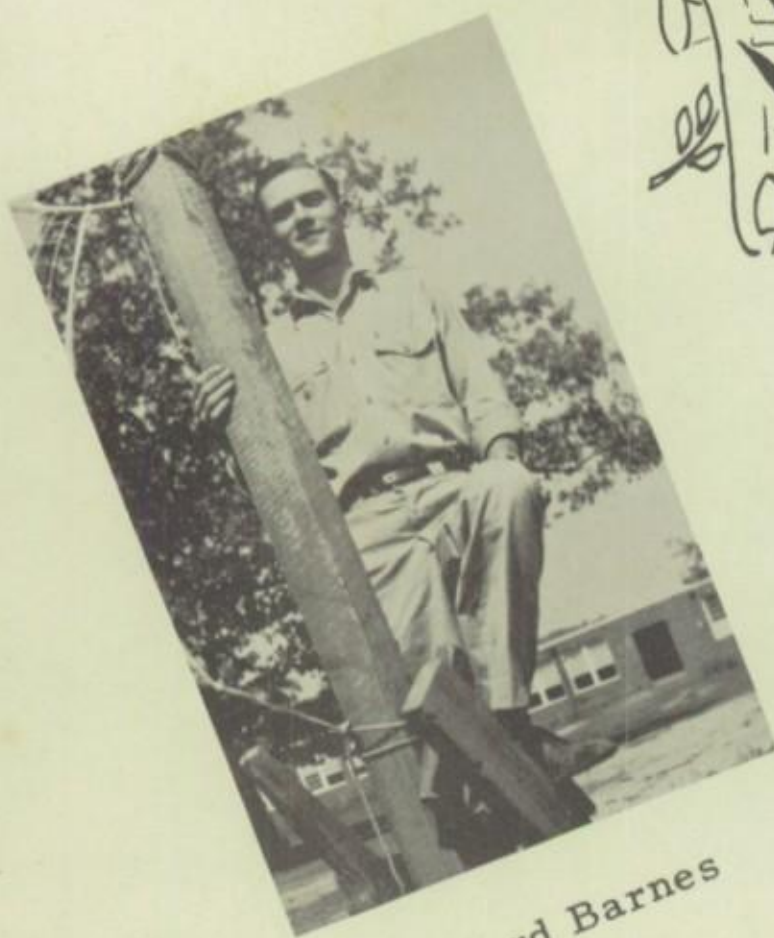


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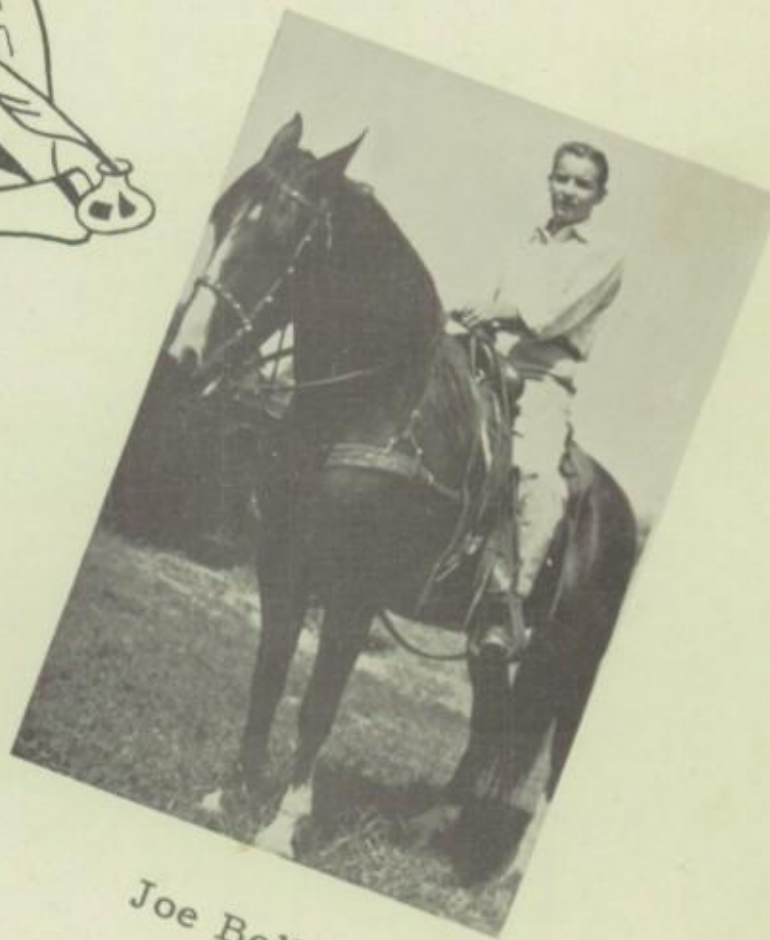


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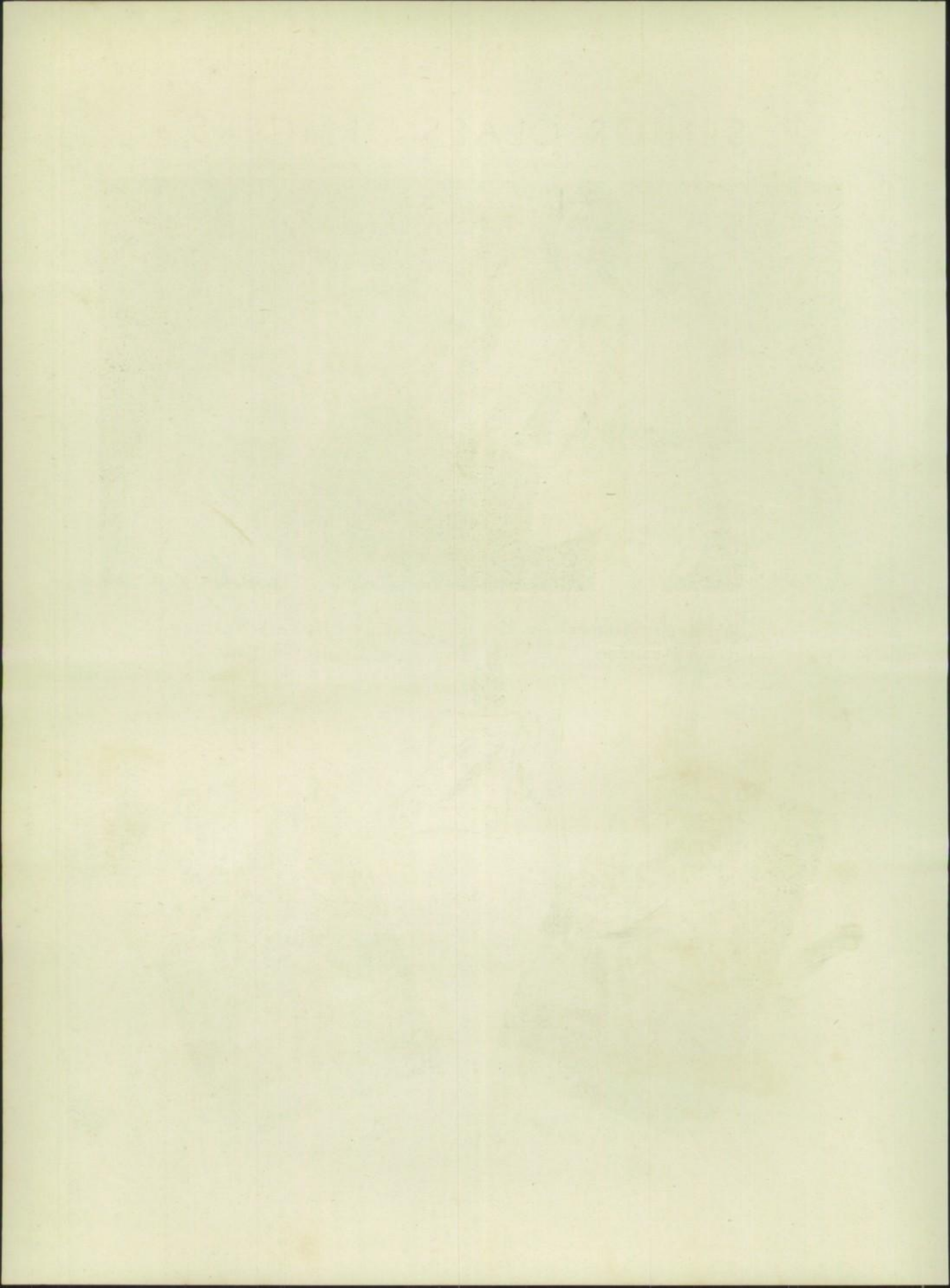
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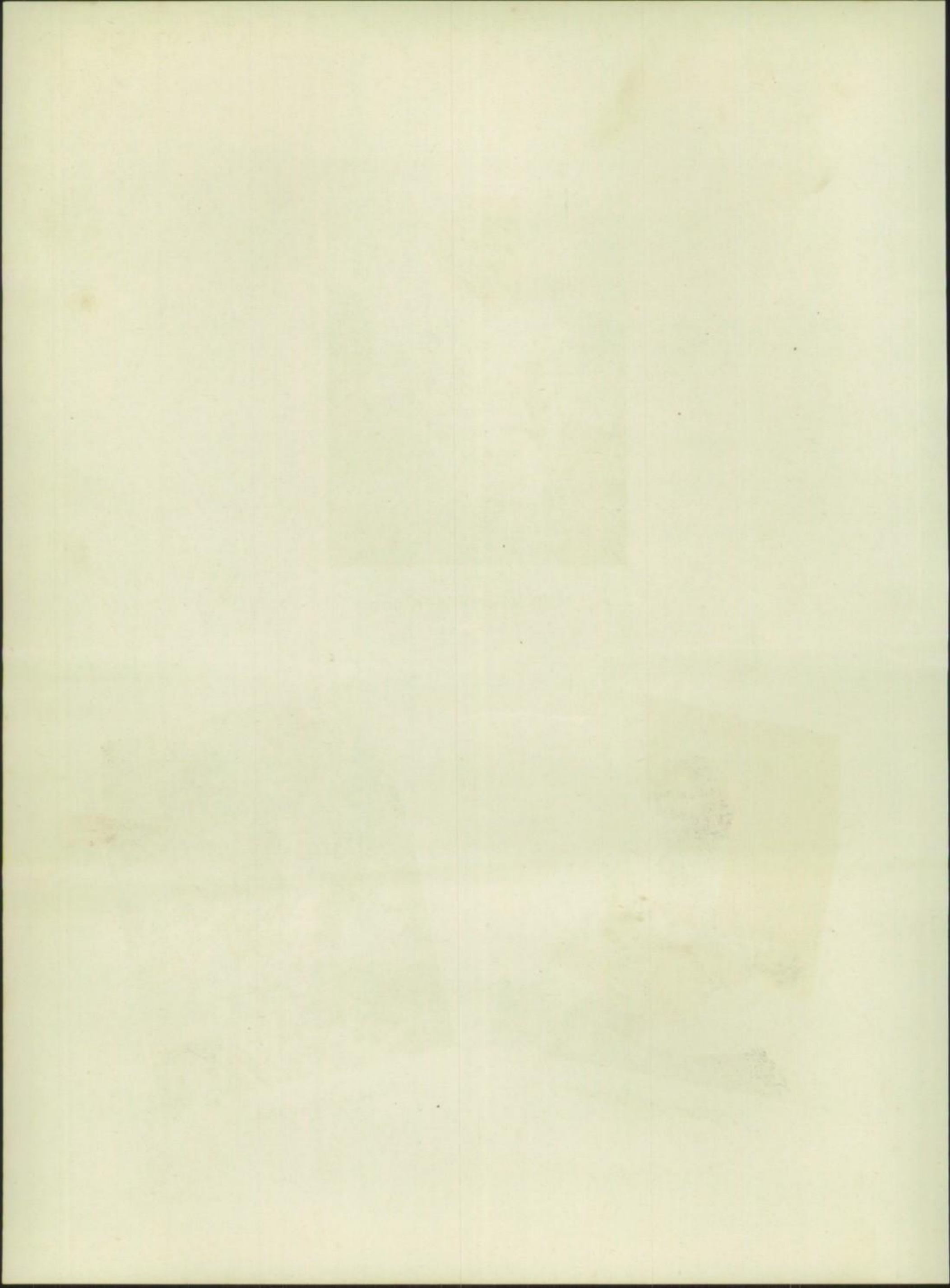
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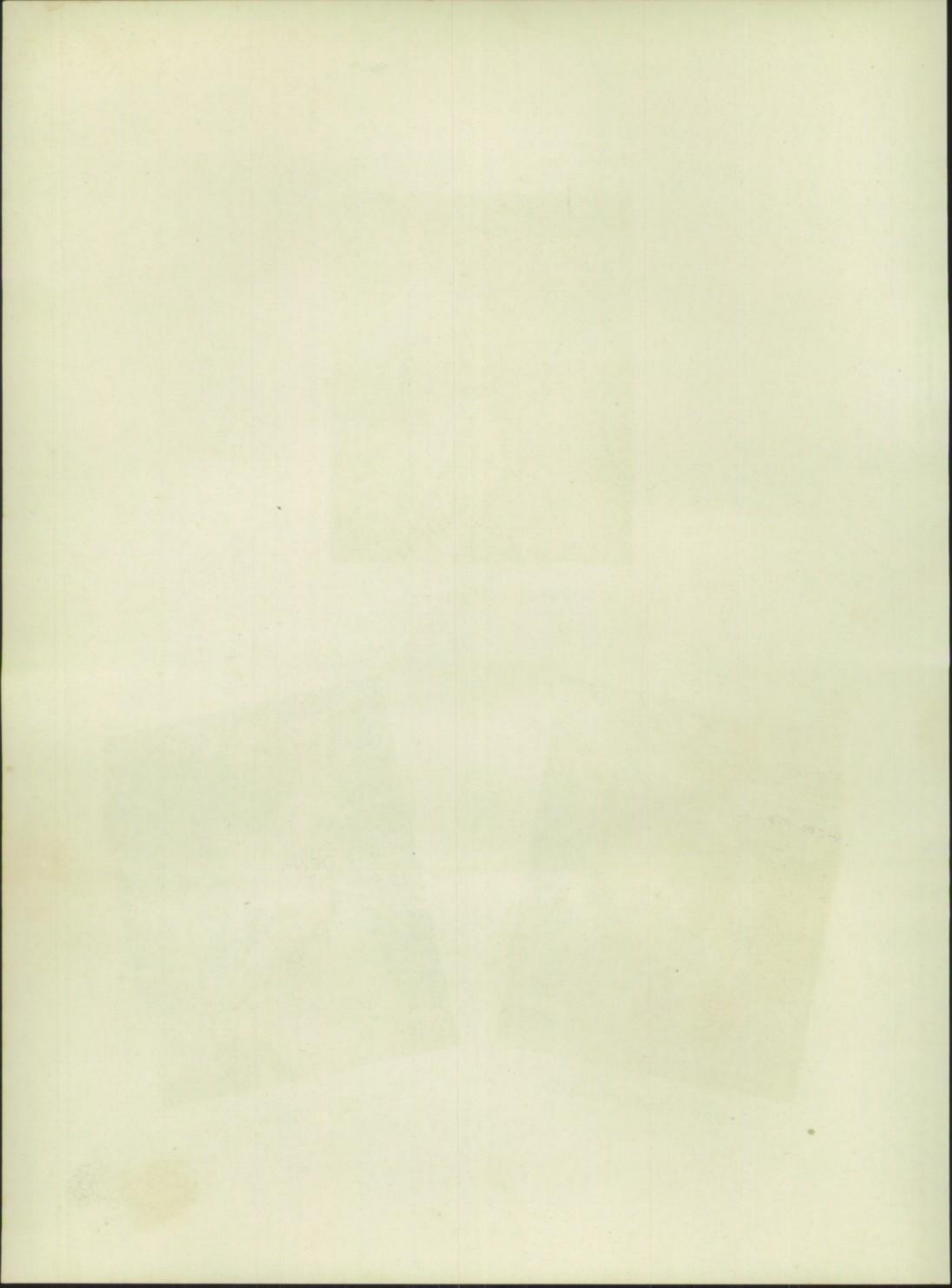
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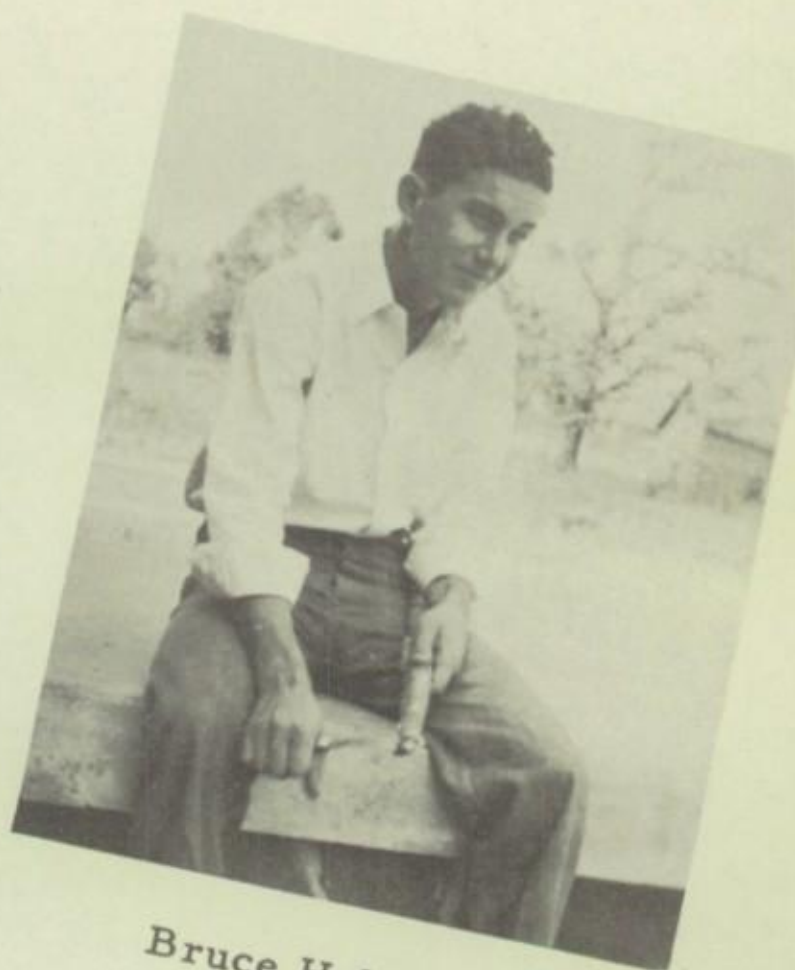




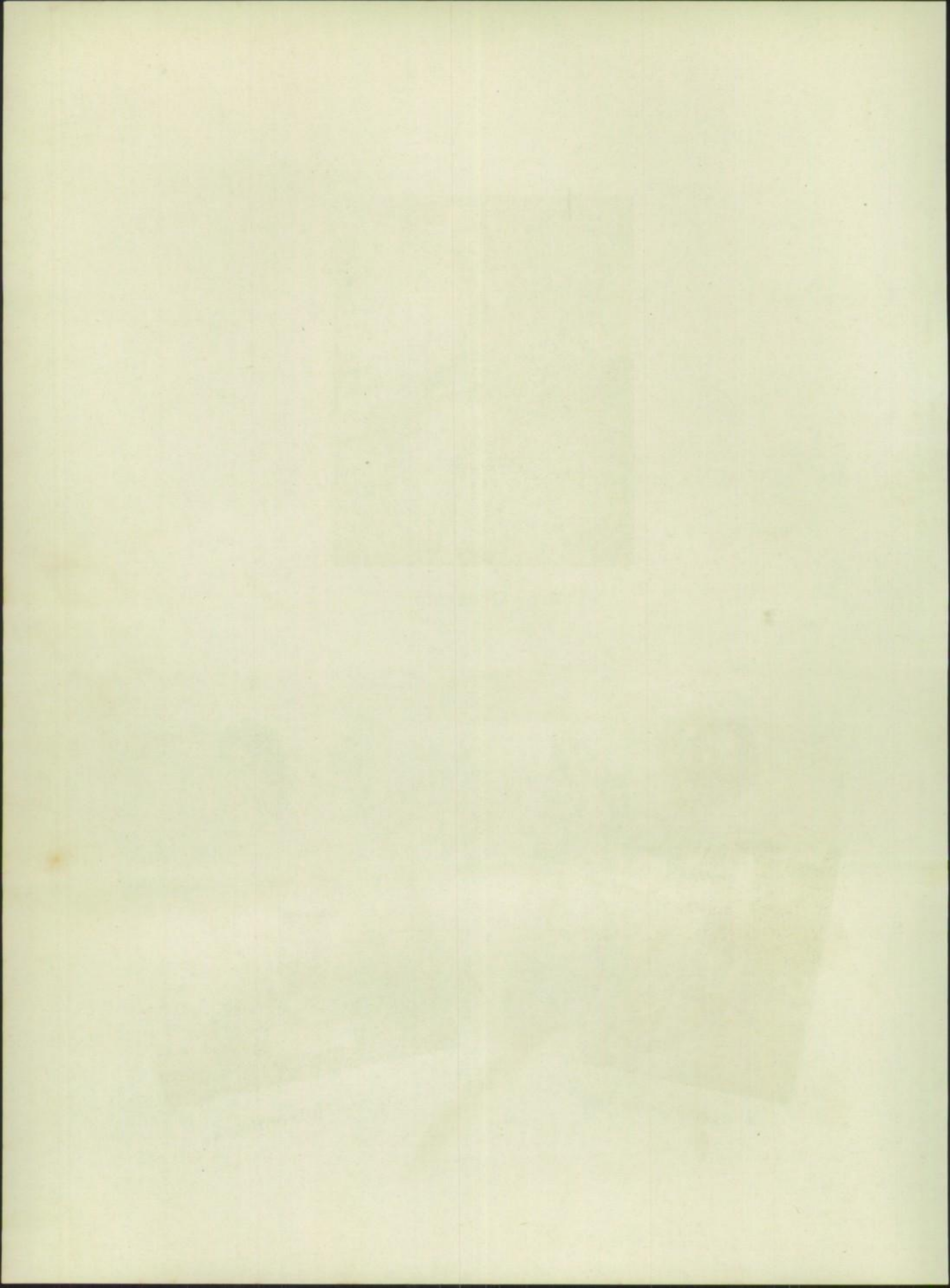
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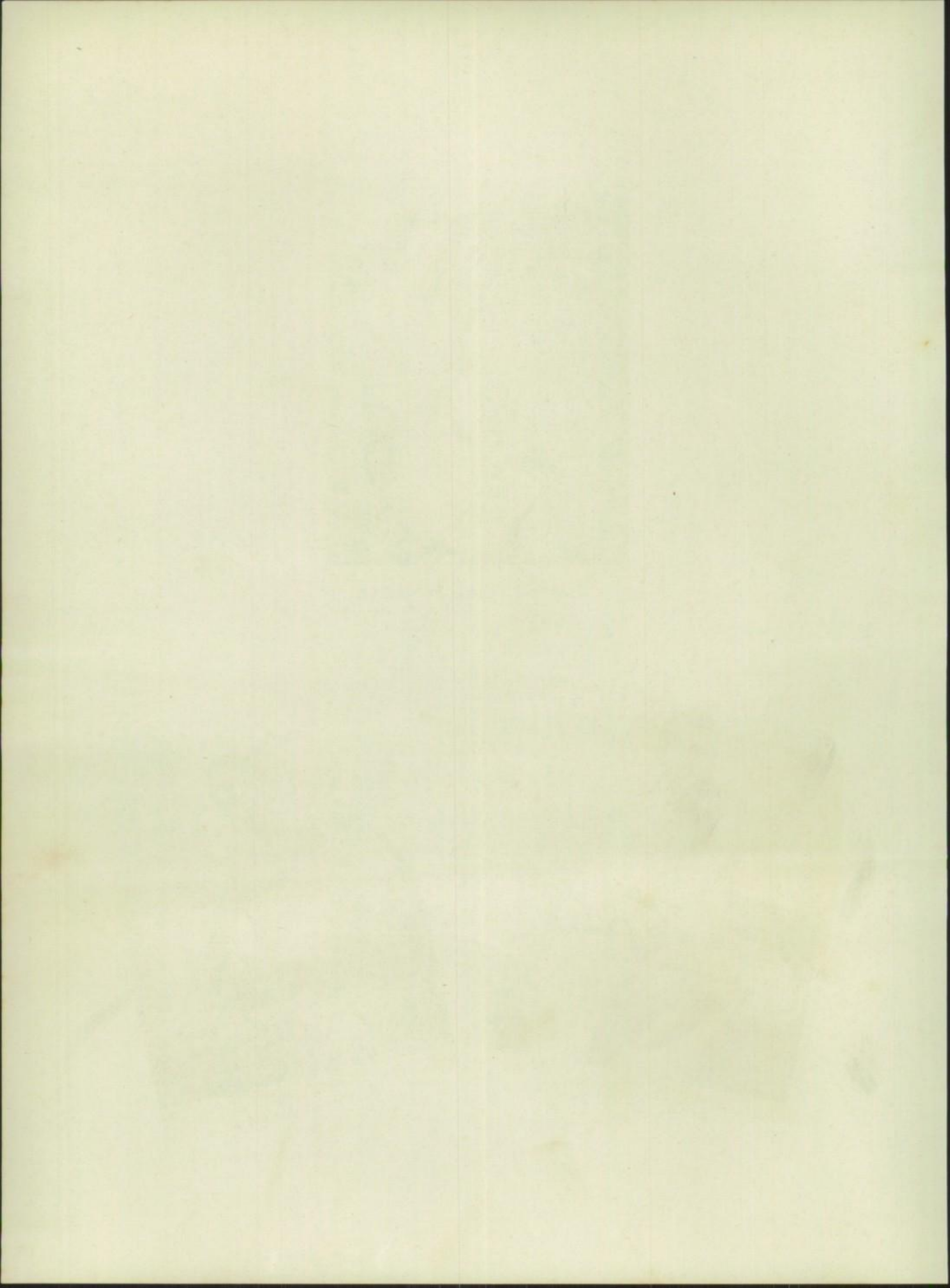
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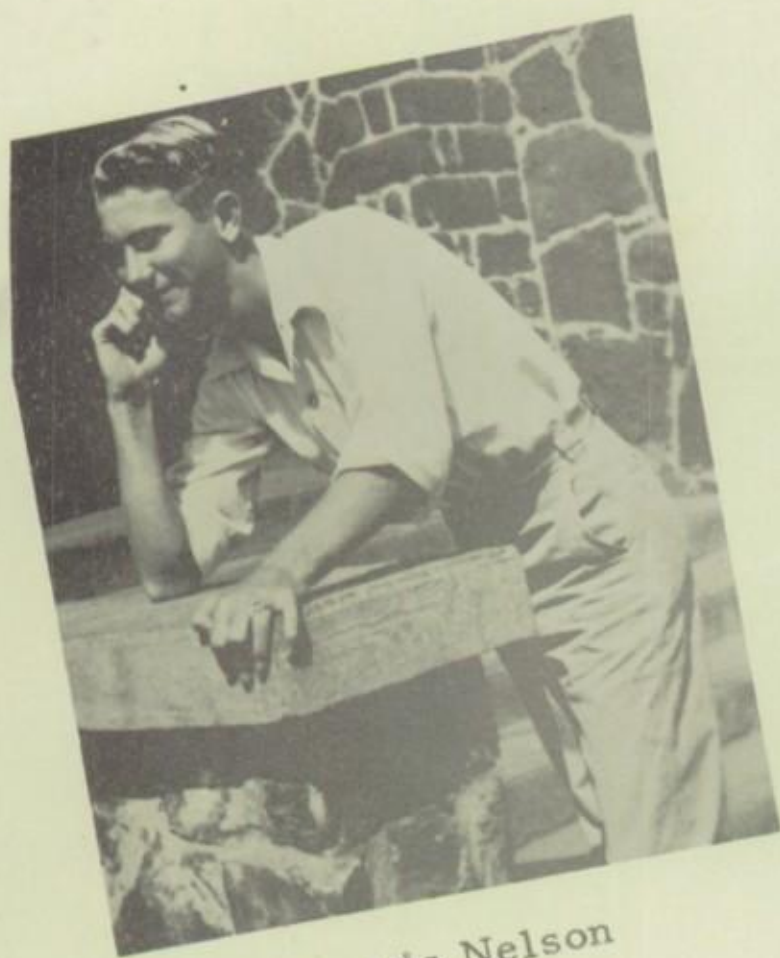


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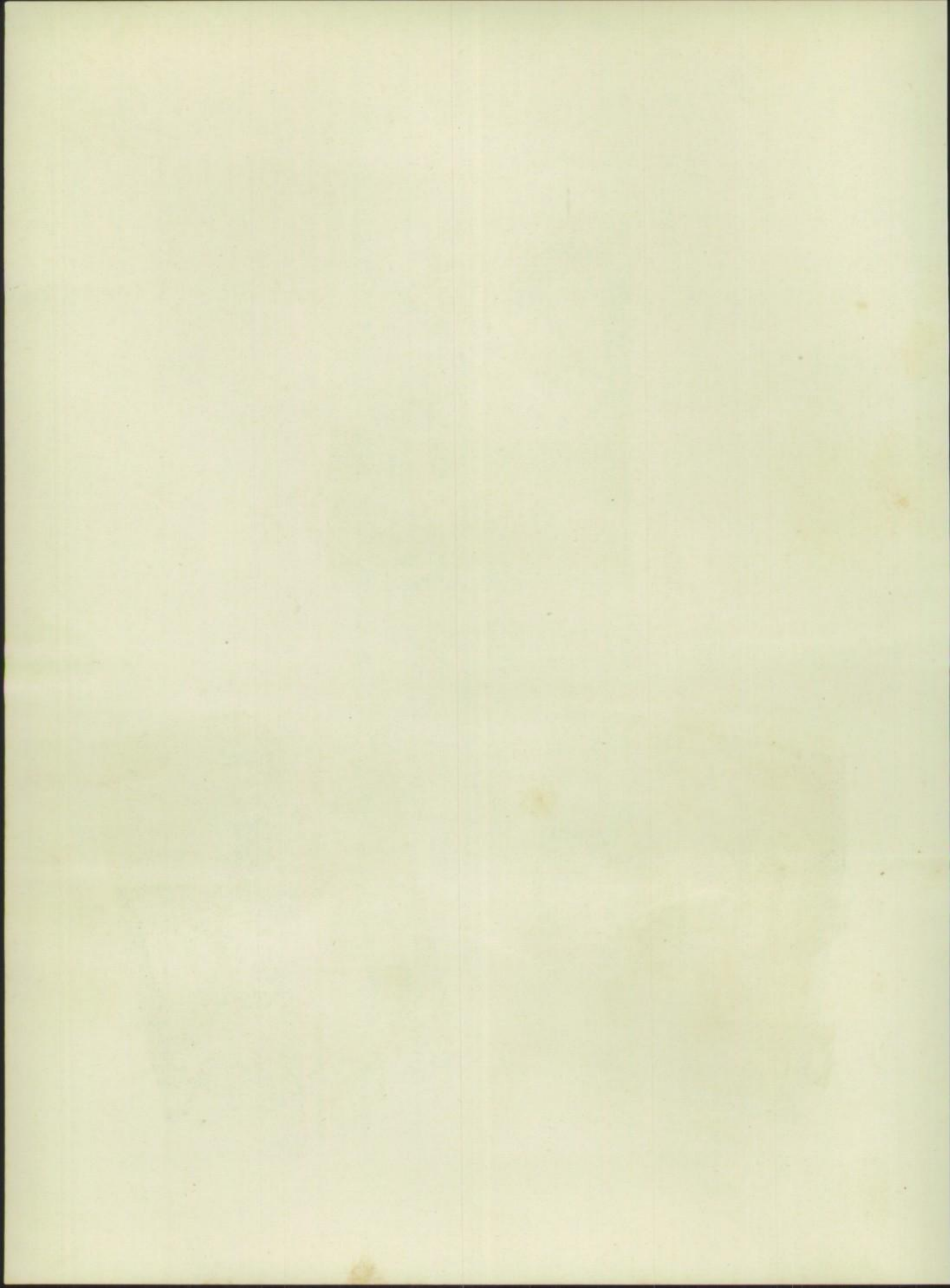
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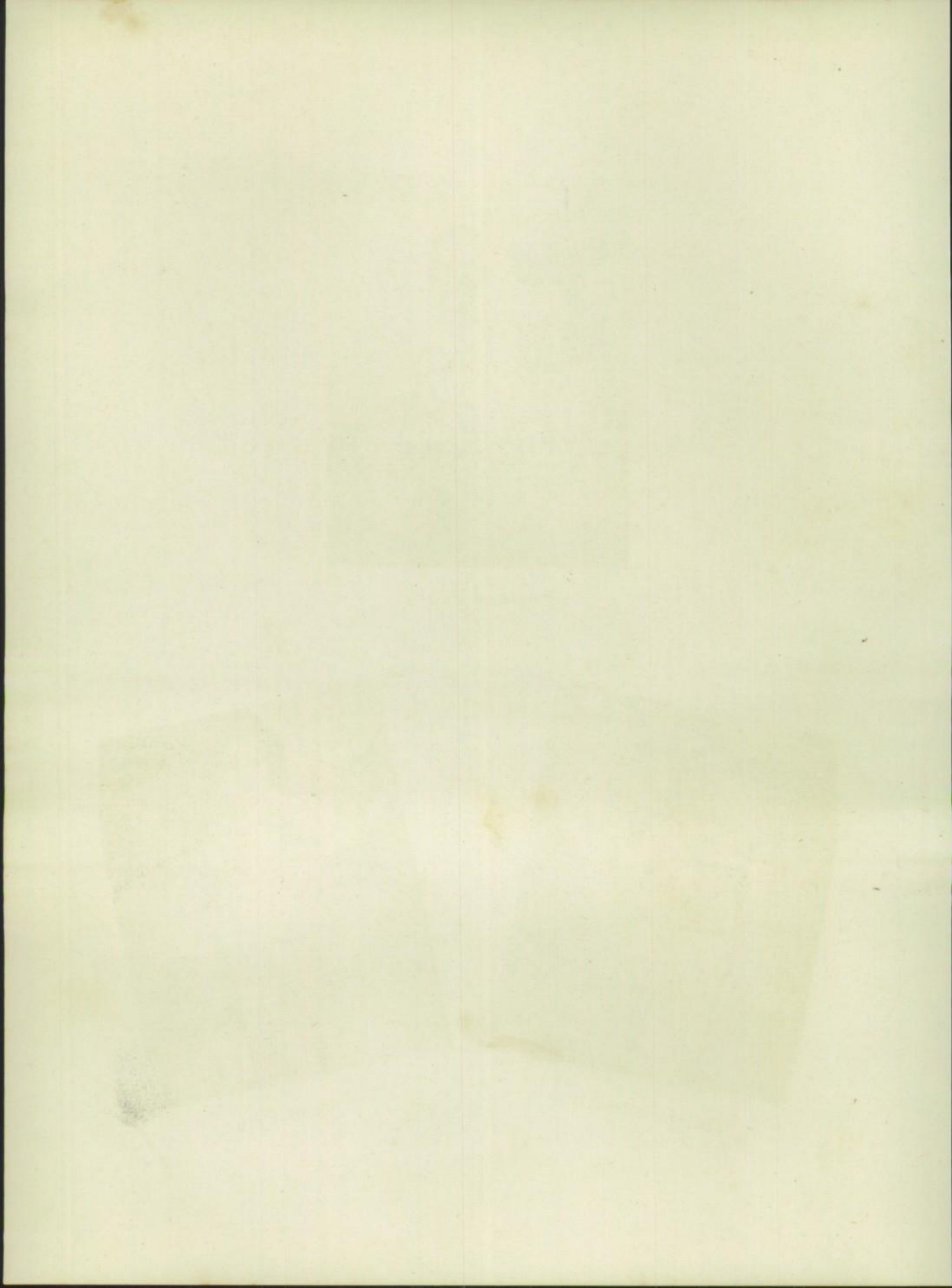
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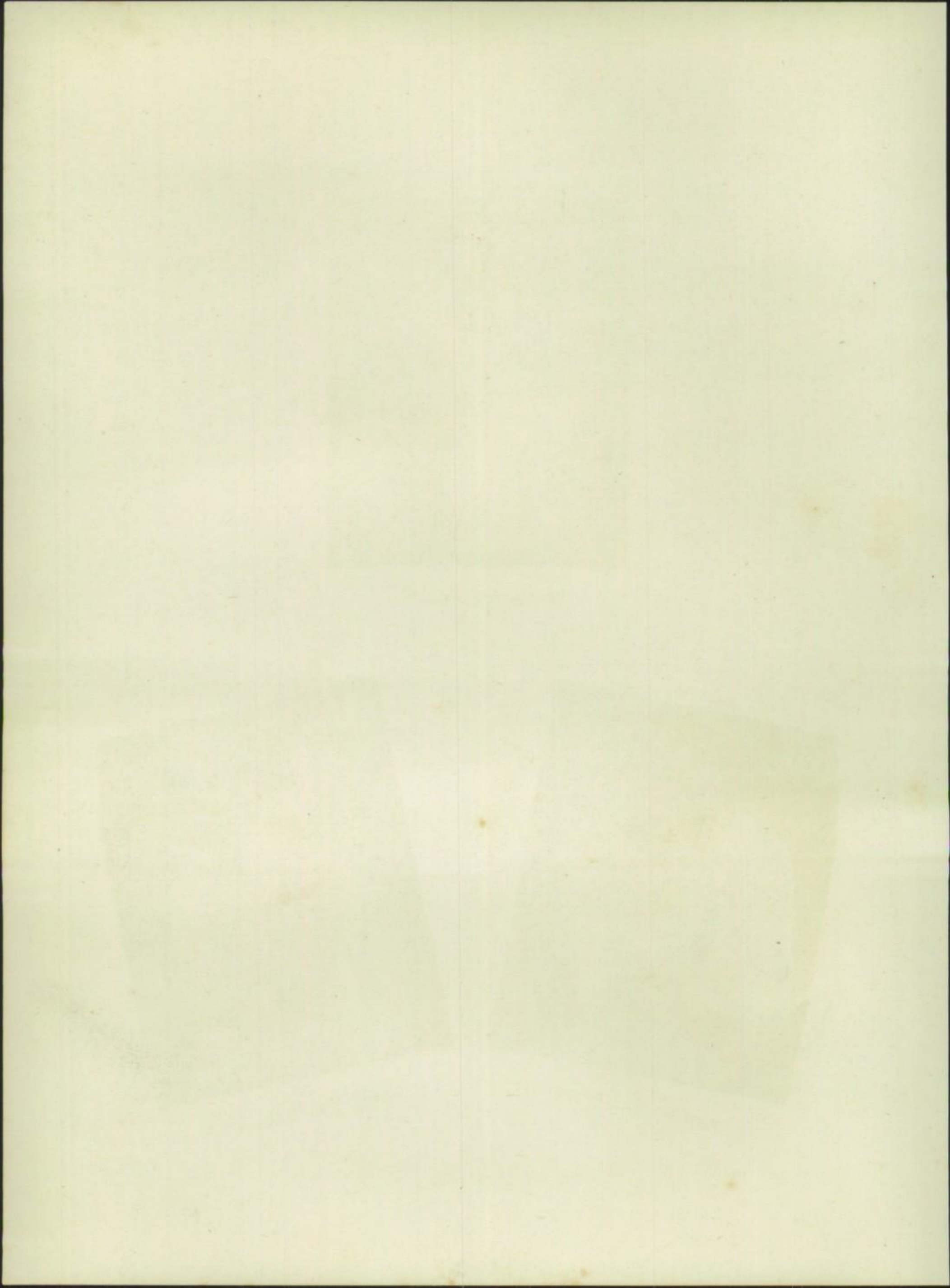
To a very
good teacher.
Love,
Billie Jane



Billie Jane Reid



Melvin Self





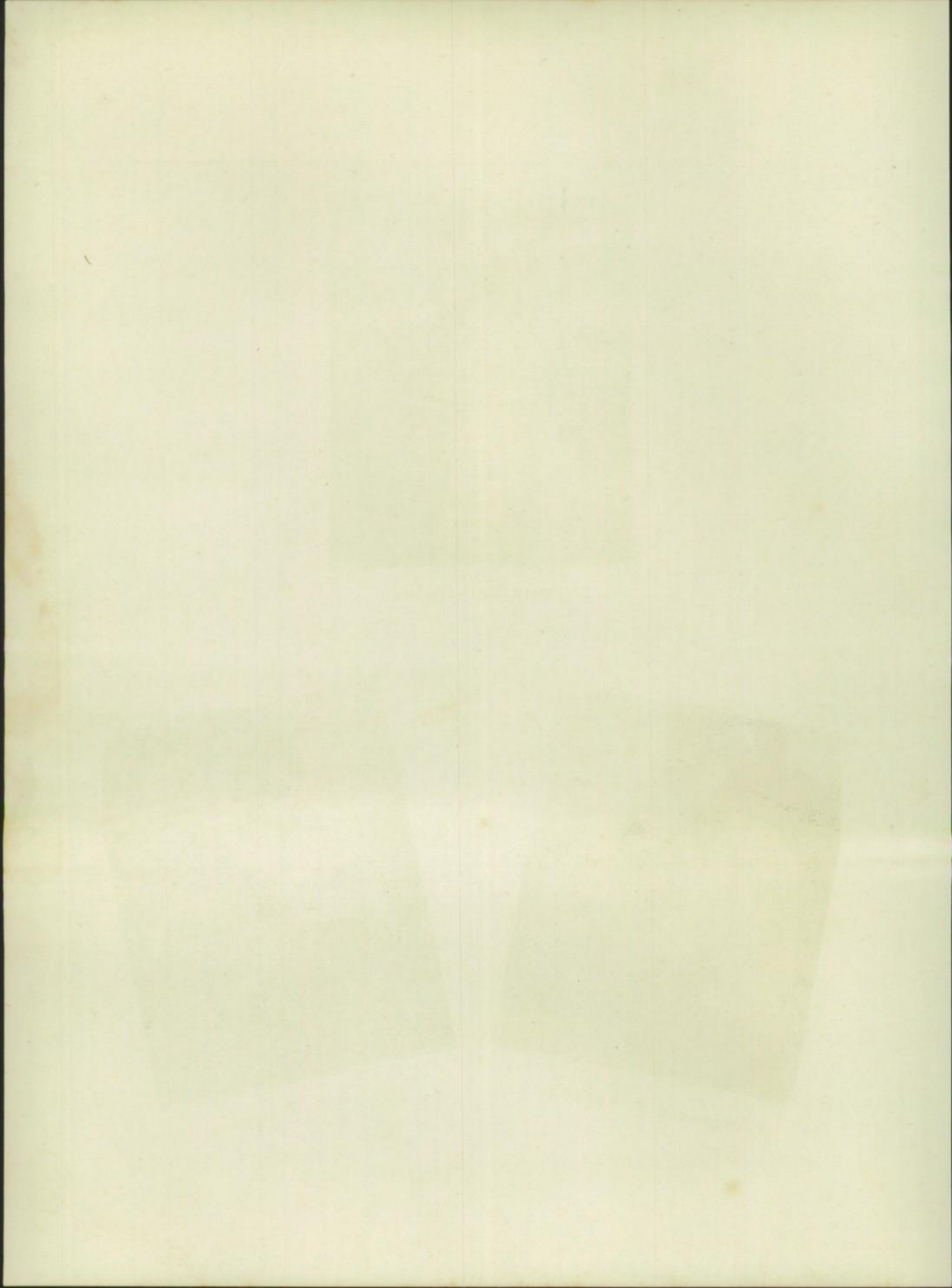
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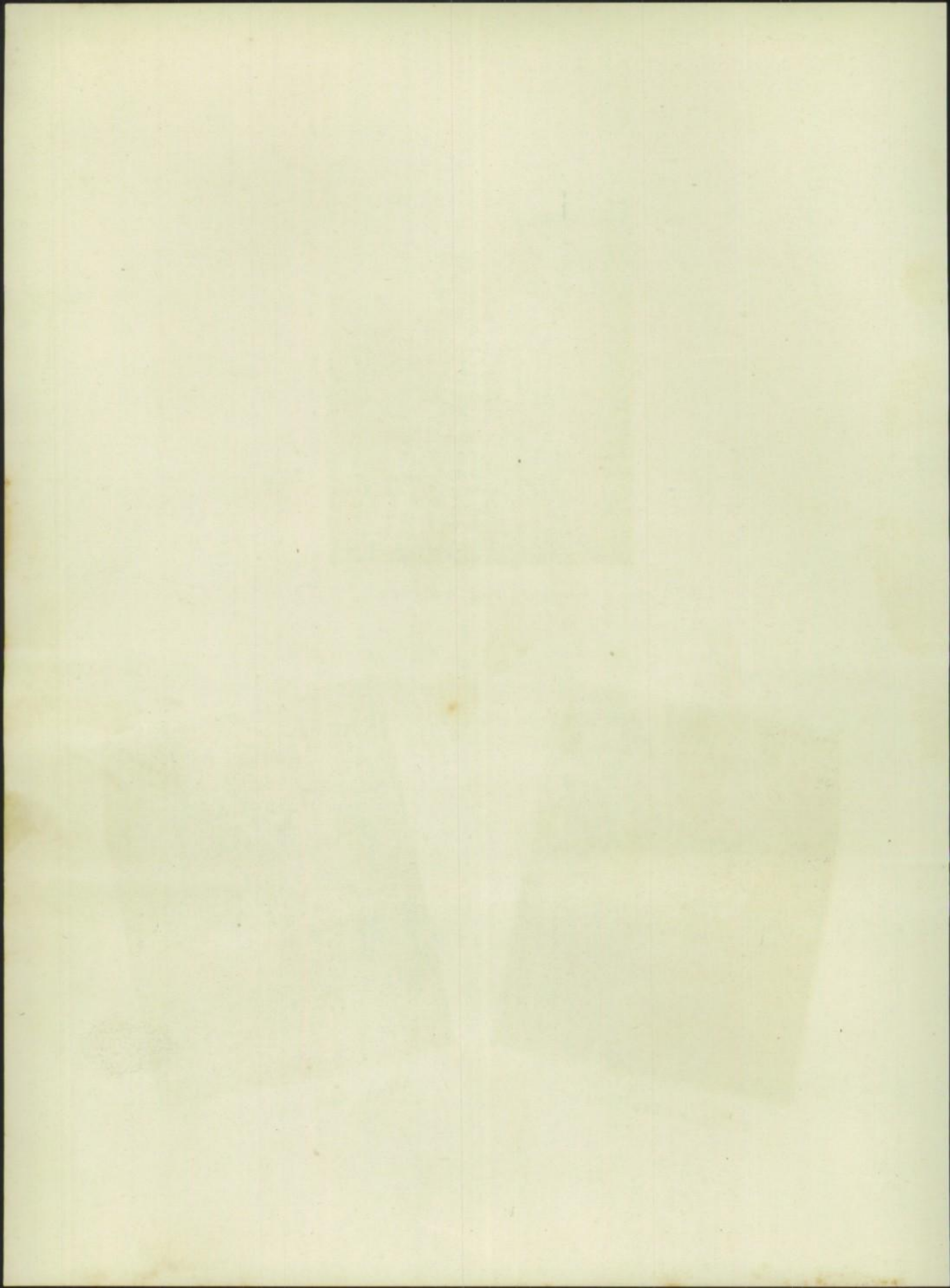
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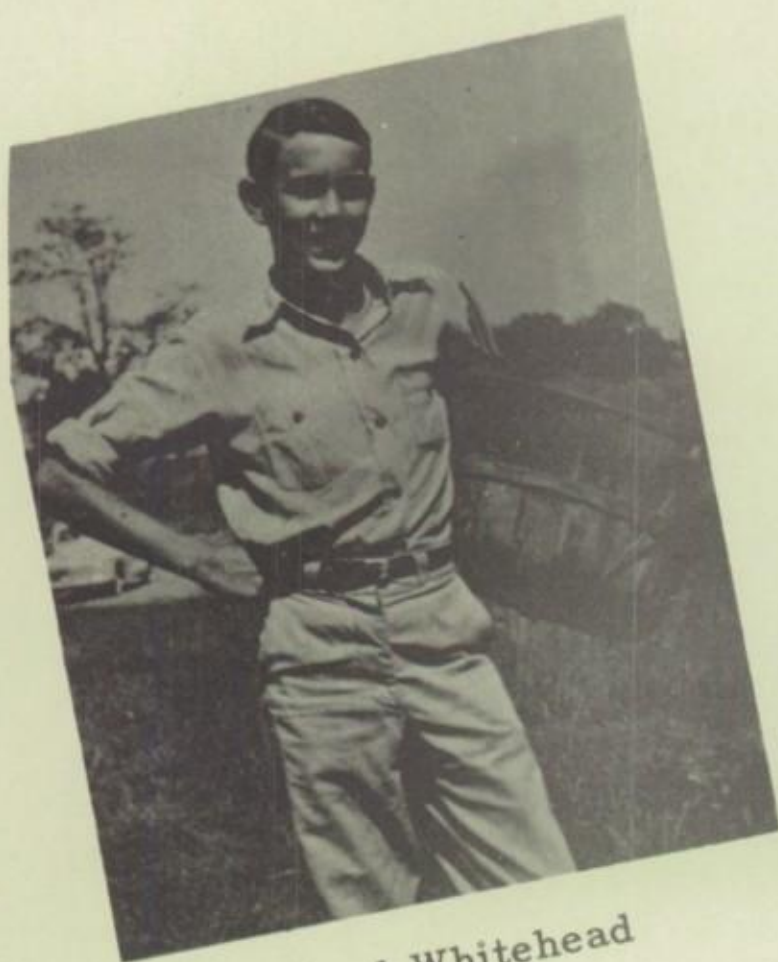


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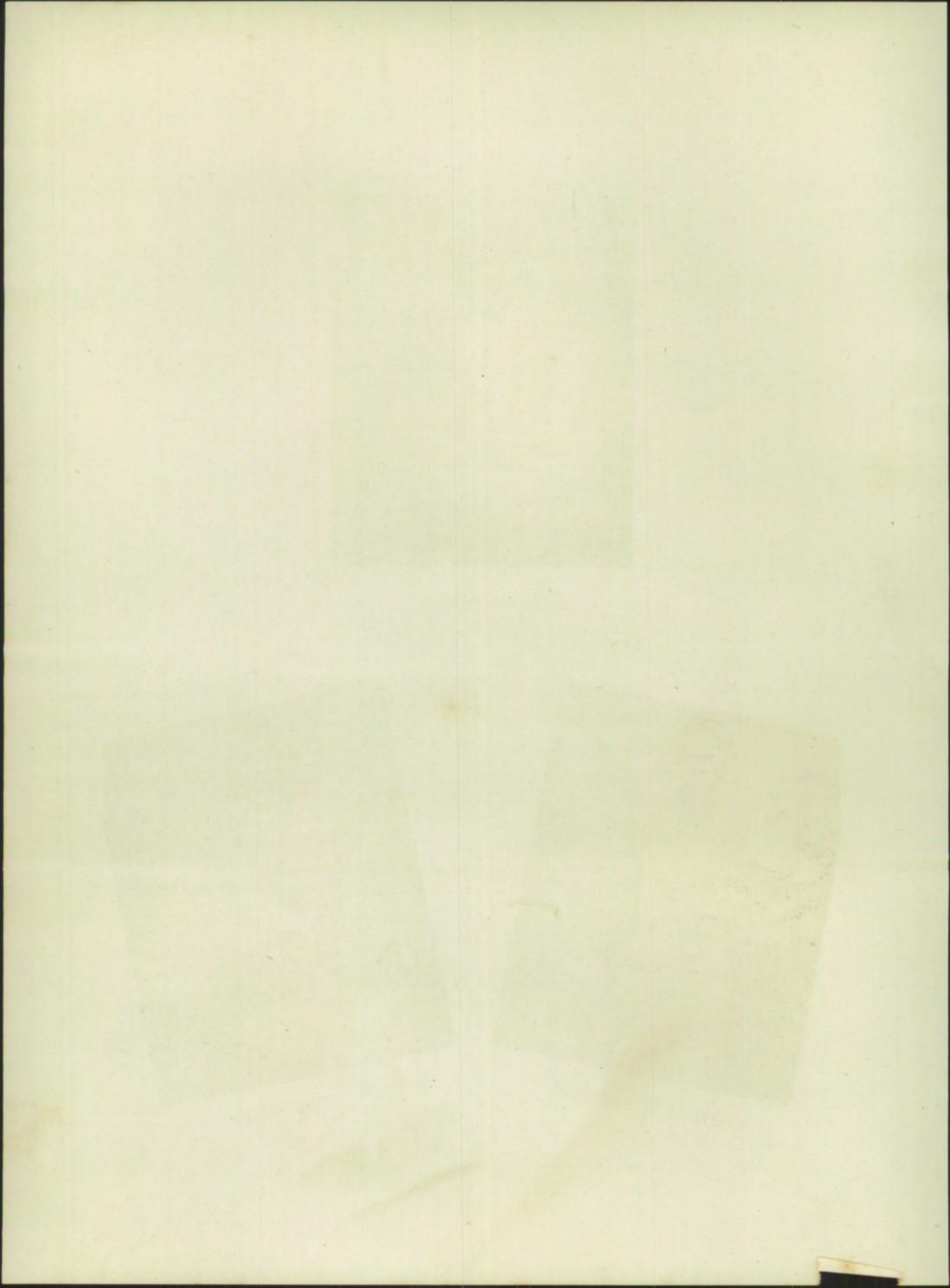
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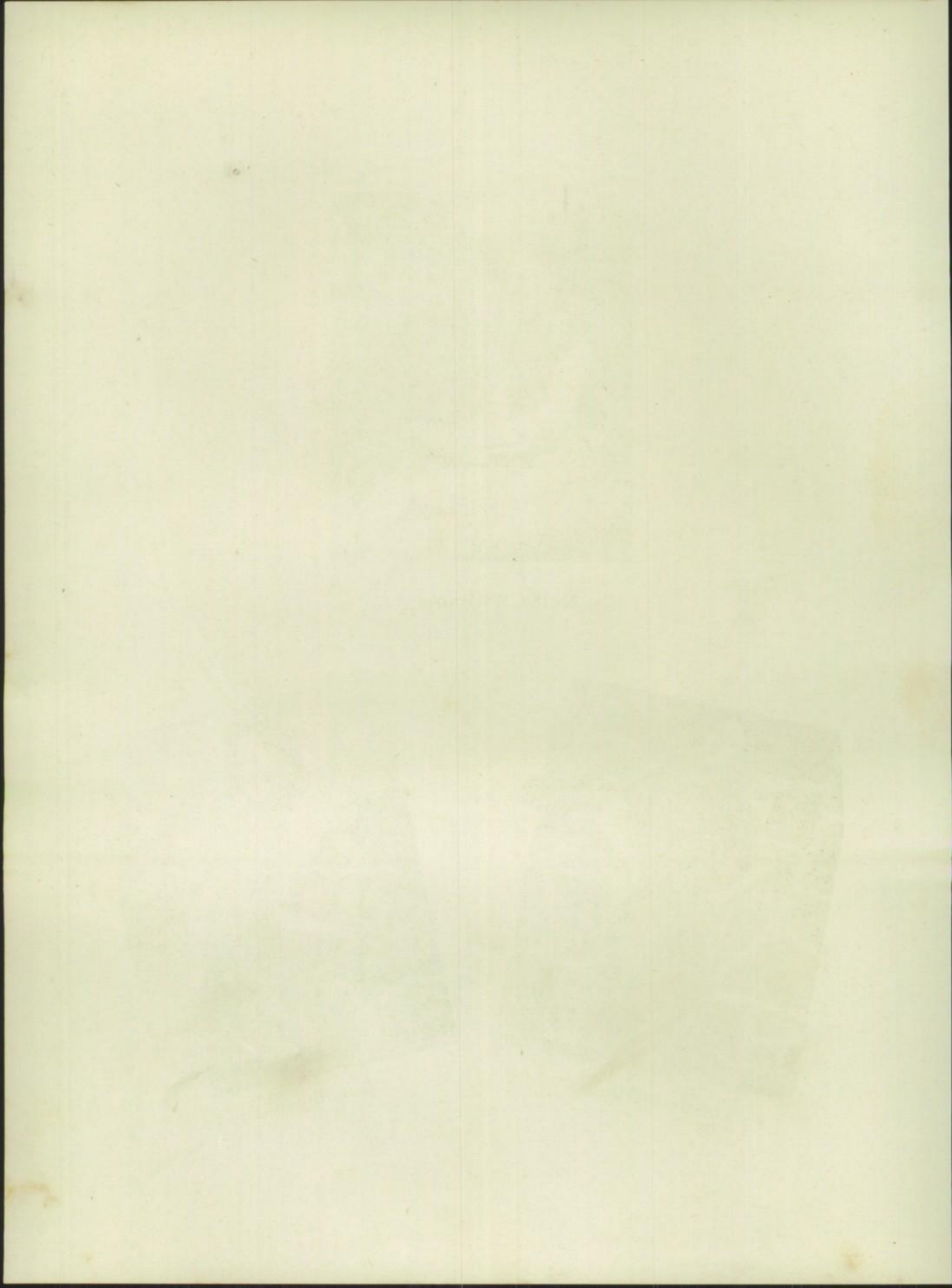
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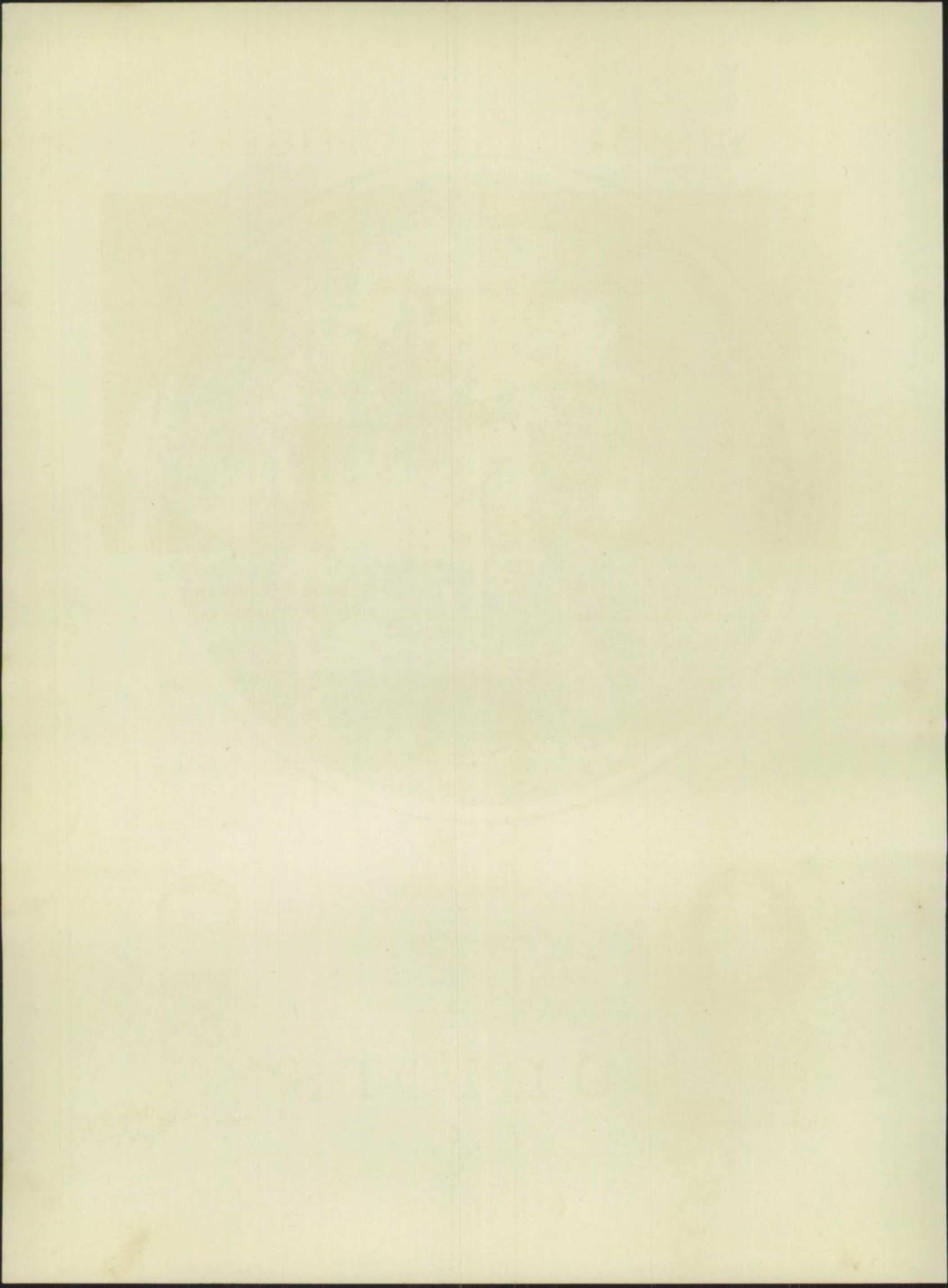


Dorothy Willis





juniors



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS



June Barton
Frankie Jean Birdwell

Charlene Thomas
Laquita Thomas



June Barton



Anita Joyce Ayres



Billy Beck

THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

WASHINGTON, D. C.

1890

Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge



Joe Boley
Earline Booker
Frankie J. Birdwell



Leah Nan Bullock
Evelyn Jo Caver
Robert Ray Coats

June Coon
Daisy Dell Corley
Billy D. Cornelius



Max Cruseturner
Marie Denney
Dorothy J. Everitt





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Travis Gresham
Christine Ham



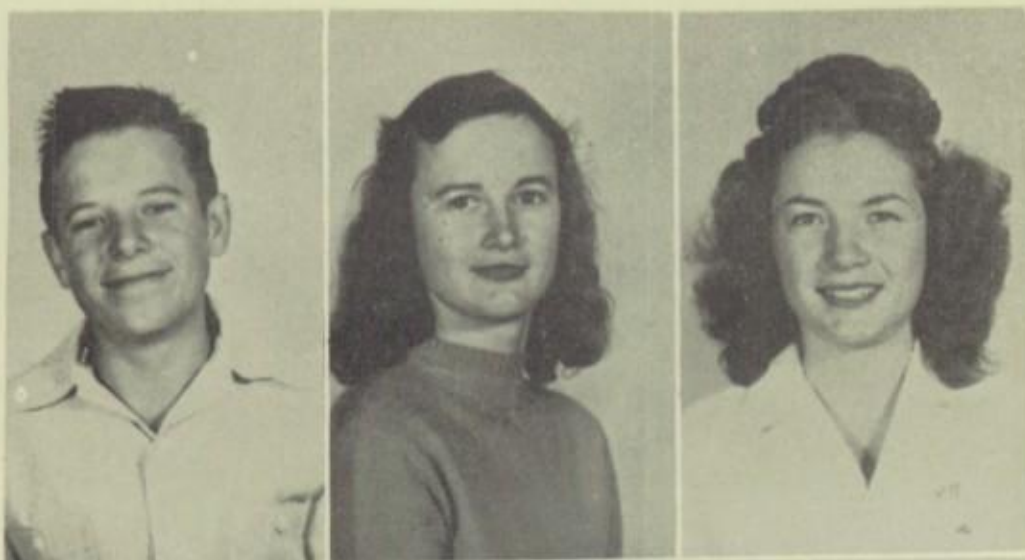
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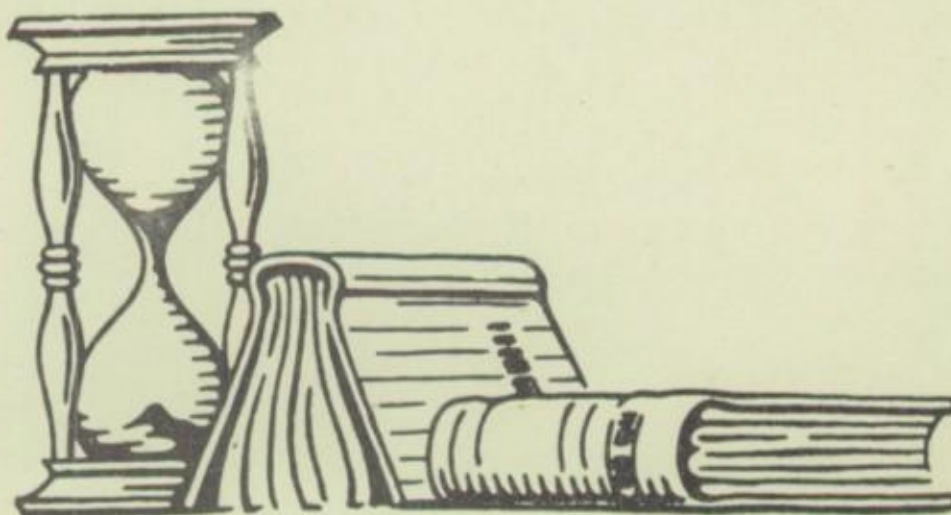




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Charlene Thomas
Laquita Thomas

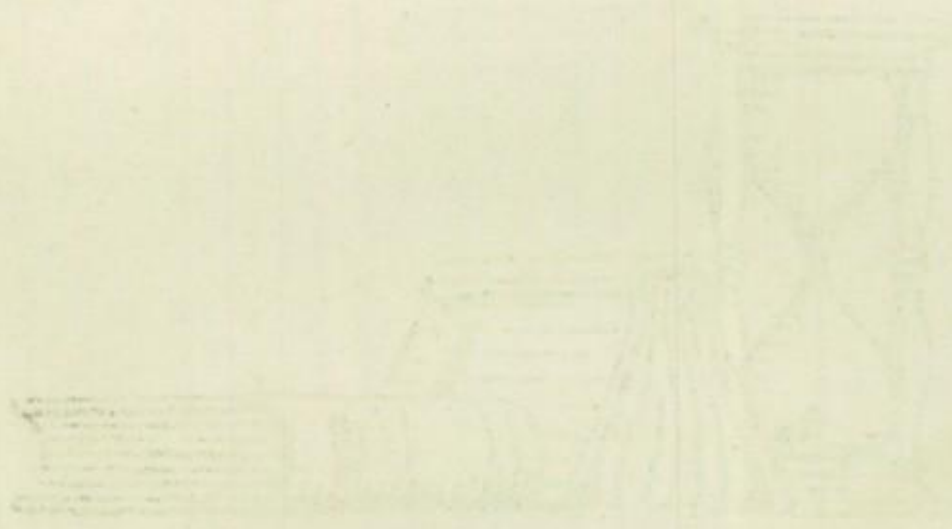


Mary Ellen Wade
Billy Williamson
William Williamson



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1871
1872

1873
1874
1875





sophomores

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS



Gayla Ruth Baxter
Damon Gresham

Lucille Perry
Frazier Gresham



Joyce Barnes



Bettie Mae Baker



Gayla Ruth Baxter



ZEPHYRUS CLASS OFFICERS



Class Officer
Student Name

Class Officer
Student Name



Class Officer
Student Name



Helen Baxter
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Clyde Beavers



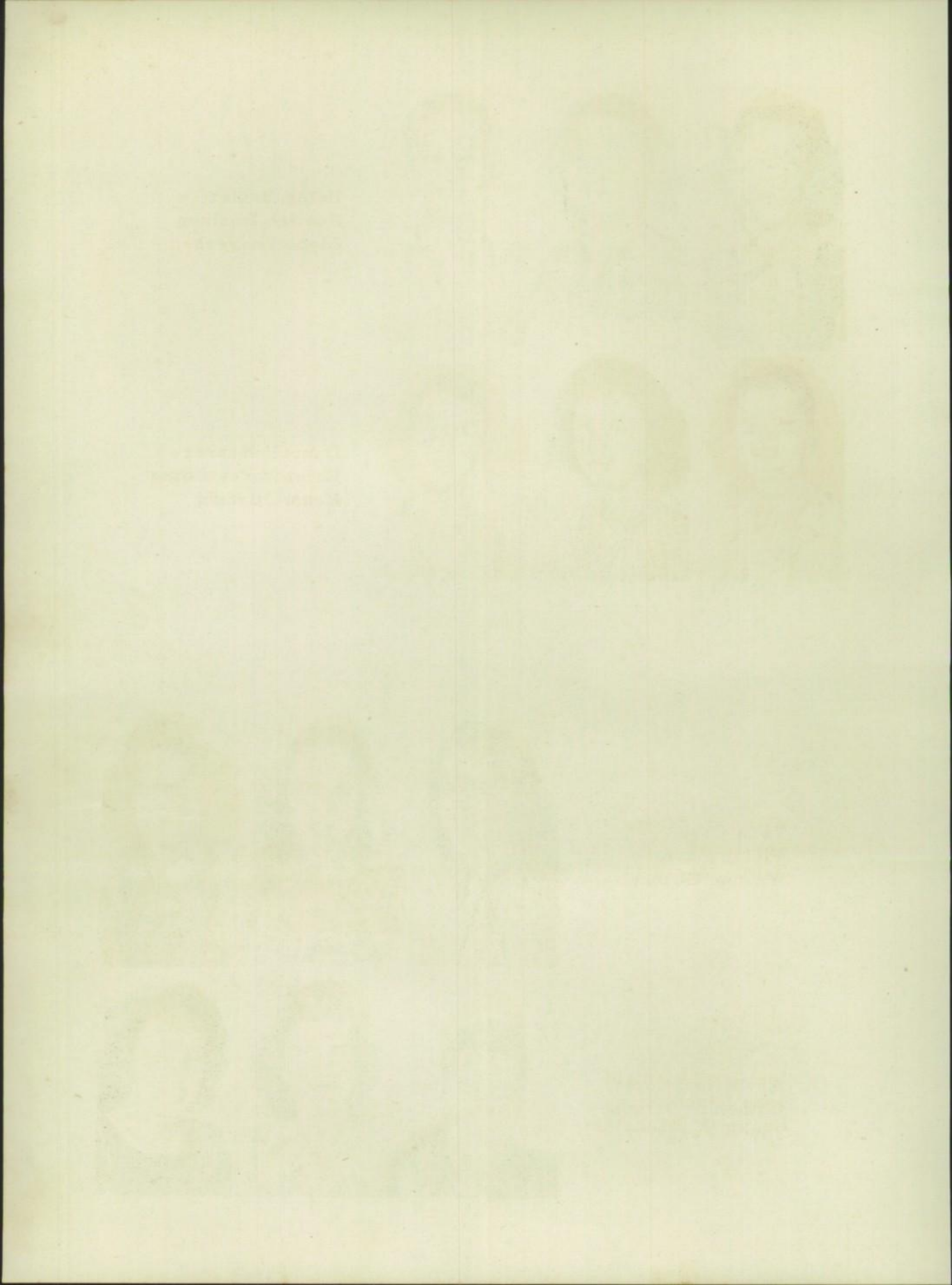
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Wayne Channel



Arvle Neal Corley
Catherine Dempsey
Joyce Furra







Joe Ruth Gentry
Damon Gresham
Frazier Gresham



Jean Gresham
Dorothy Faye King
Marty Jo King

Willie B. Kinney
Ray Lloyd
Wilma Martin



Joe Dan McKnight
John Mixon, Jr.
Lester R. Nichols





Ray Overall
Charles Penny
Lucille Perry



Wayland Phillips
James Ralph Pitman
Kenneth Pye

Joyce Rawlinson
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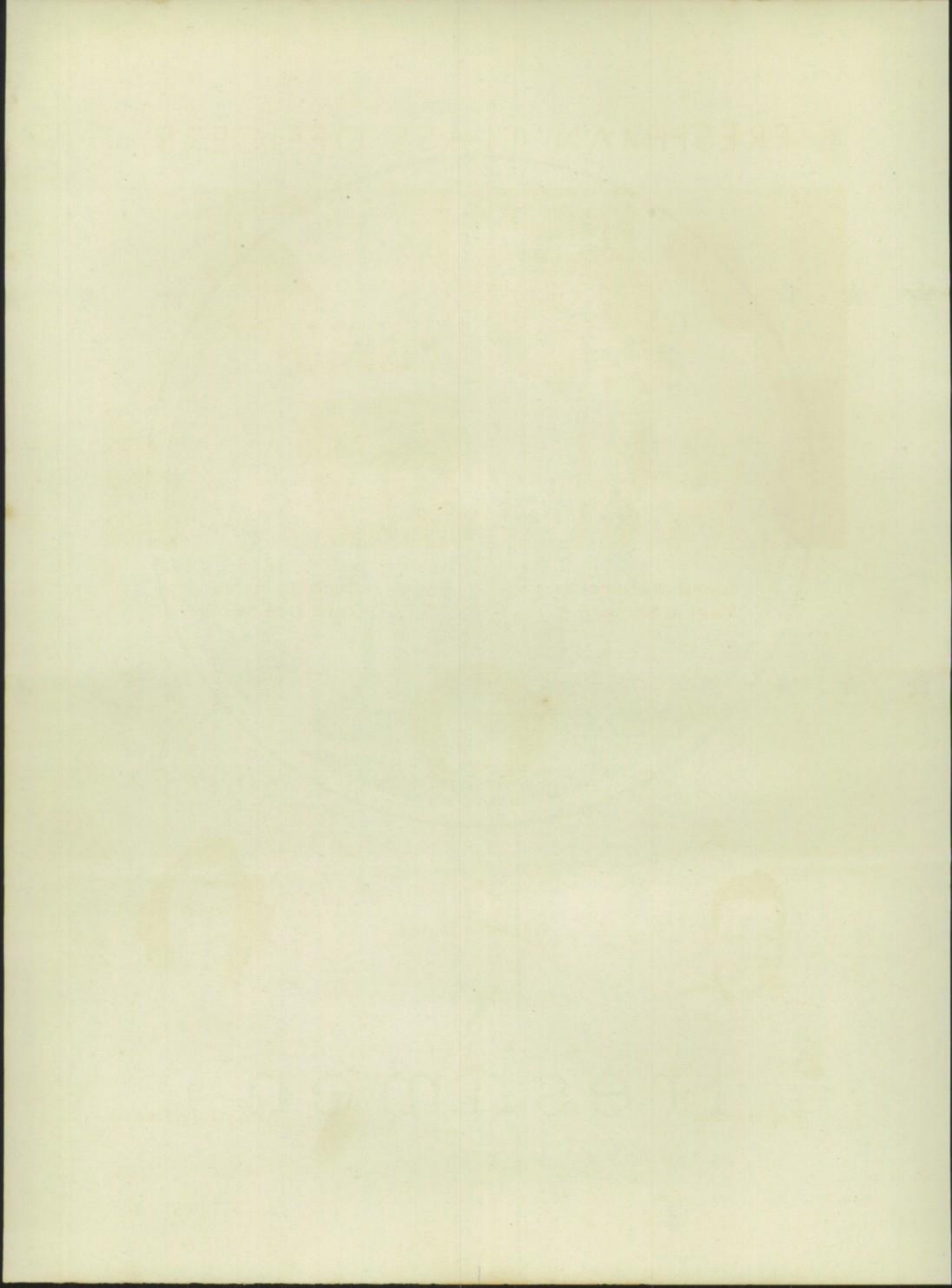
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freshmen



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS



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Maxine Skinner

Barbara Bates
Vera Lee Swink



Pat Barton



Barbara Bates

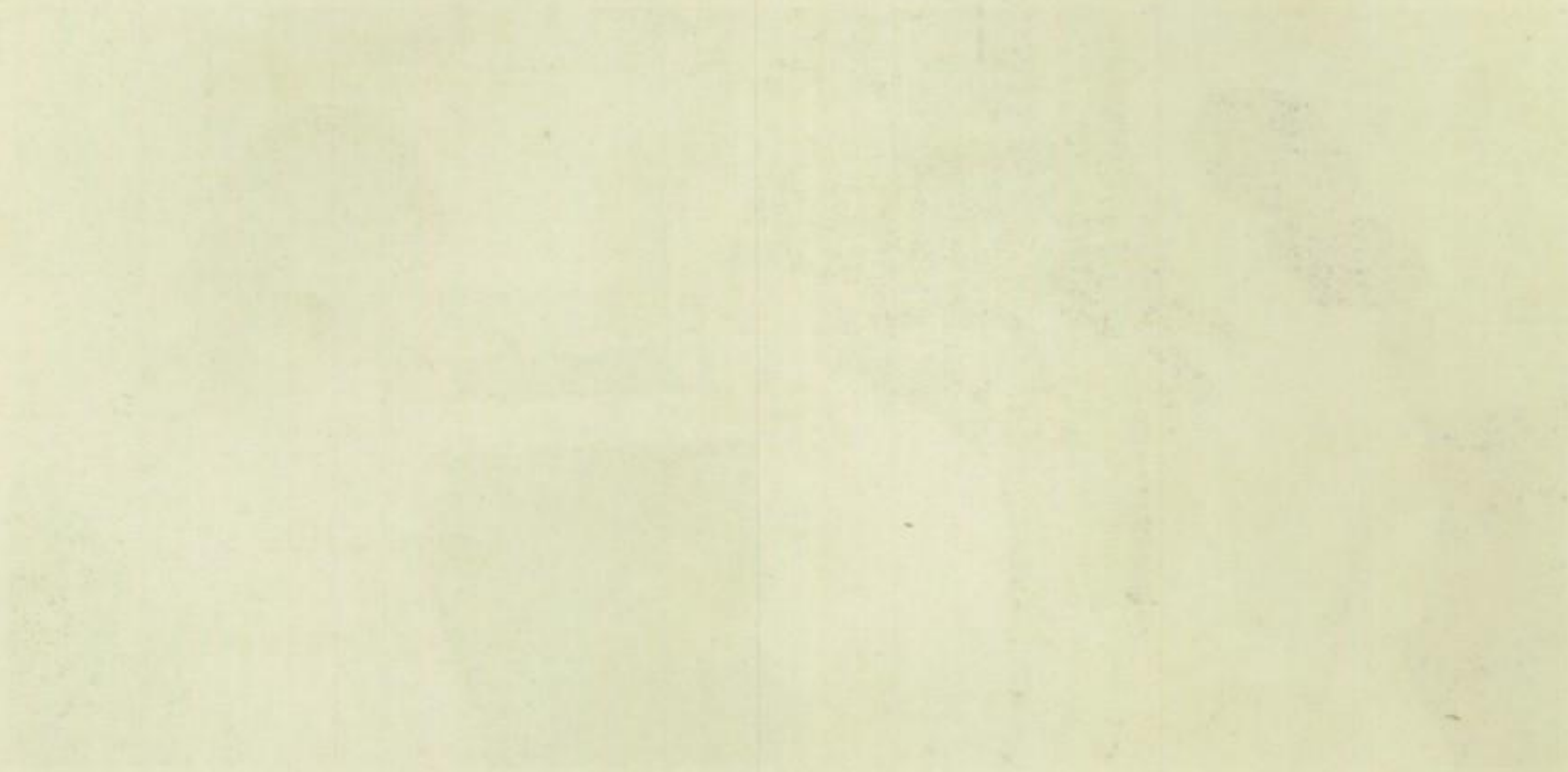


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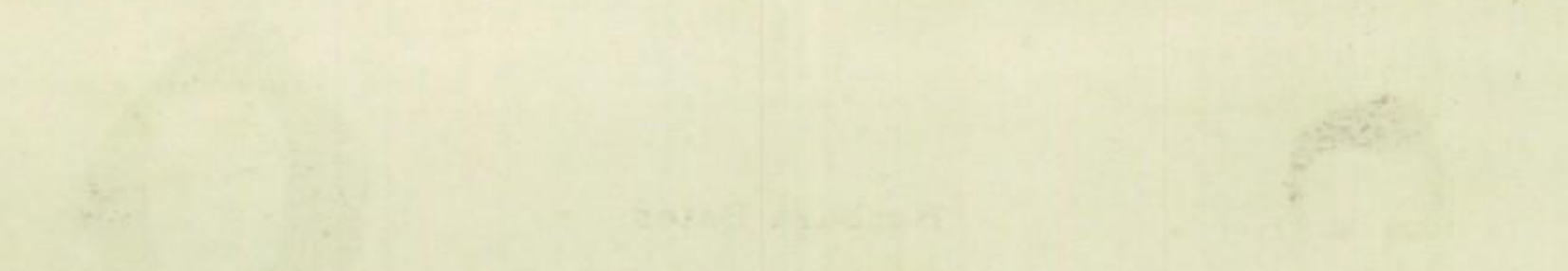
Alma Lee Beard

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS



George H. H. H.

John H. H. H.



A Student
Bobby Caver



Betty Sue Birdwell
Bobby Caver
Jake Clifton



Jesse Cline
Eugene Coon
Mary Corley

Mary Ann Dawson
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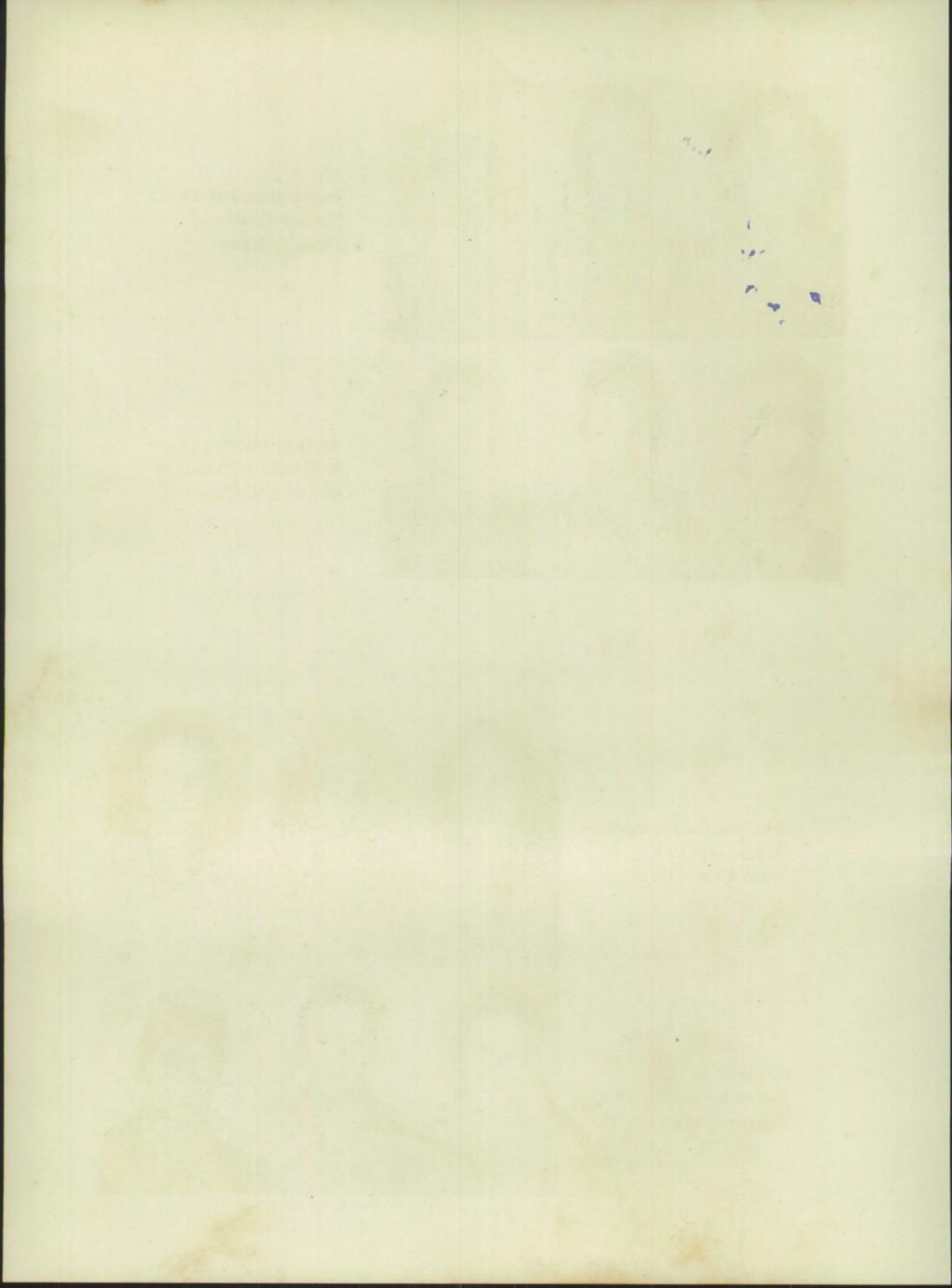


Travis Dodd
John Ray Edmons
Clarence Everitt



Travis Dodd

John Ray Edmons
a student



*So a very
nice teacher
Love
Margie
Gibson*



Joy Lynn Gatlin
Margie Gibson
Peggy Greer



Wayne Holbrooks
William B. Hooks
Malcolm King

*Slim
Katherine
Nettles*

Martha A. Langford
Peggy Neill
Katherine Nettles



Cecile Owens
Joe Hardy Pace
Junior Phillips



*Love
Cecile O.*

Joe Pace

For Light Green
Dark Green
Yellow

For Yellow
For Green
For Red

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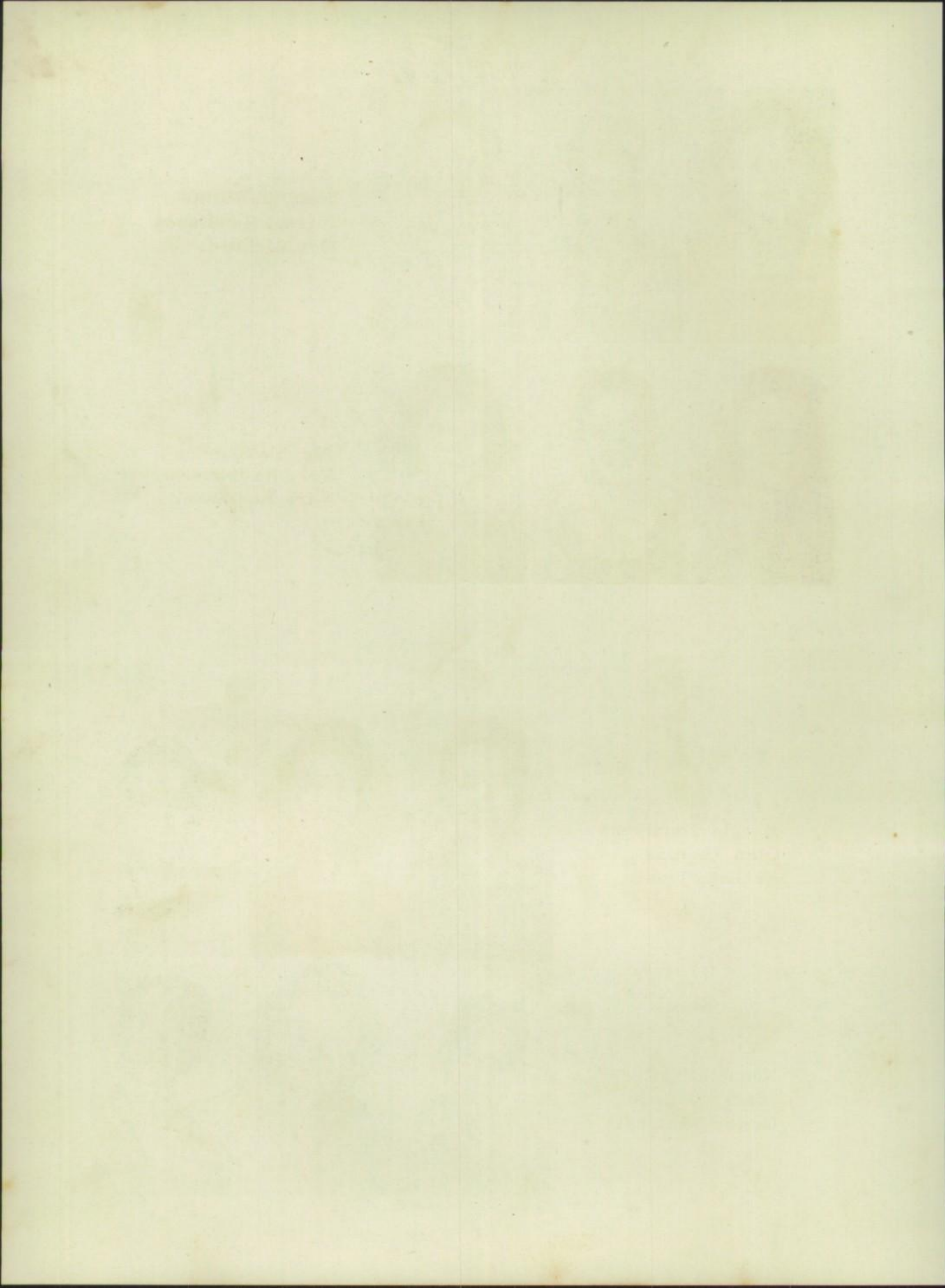
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Kenneth Wallace



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Betty

Jerald Whitehead

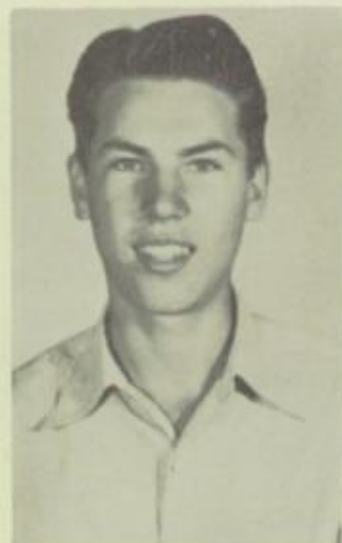


Betty J. Whitaker
Sherman Whitaker
Jerald Whitehead



Joy Wilkerson
Bess Williamson
Faye Williams

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Wayne Wilson
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Jewel Wilson



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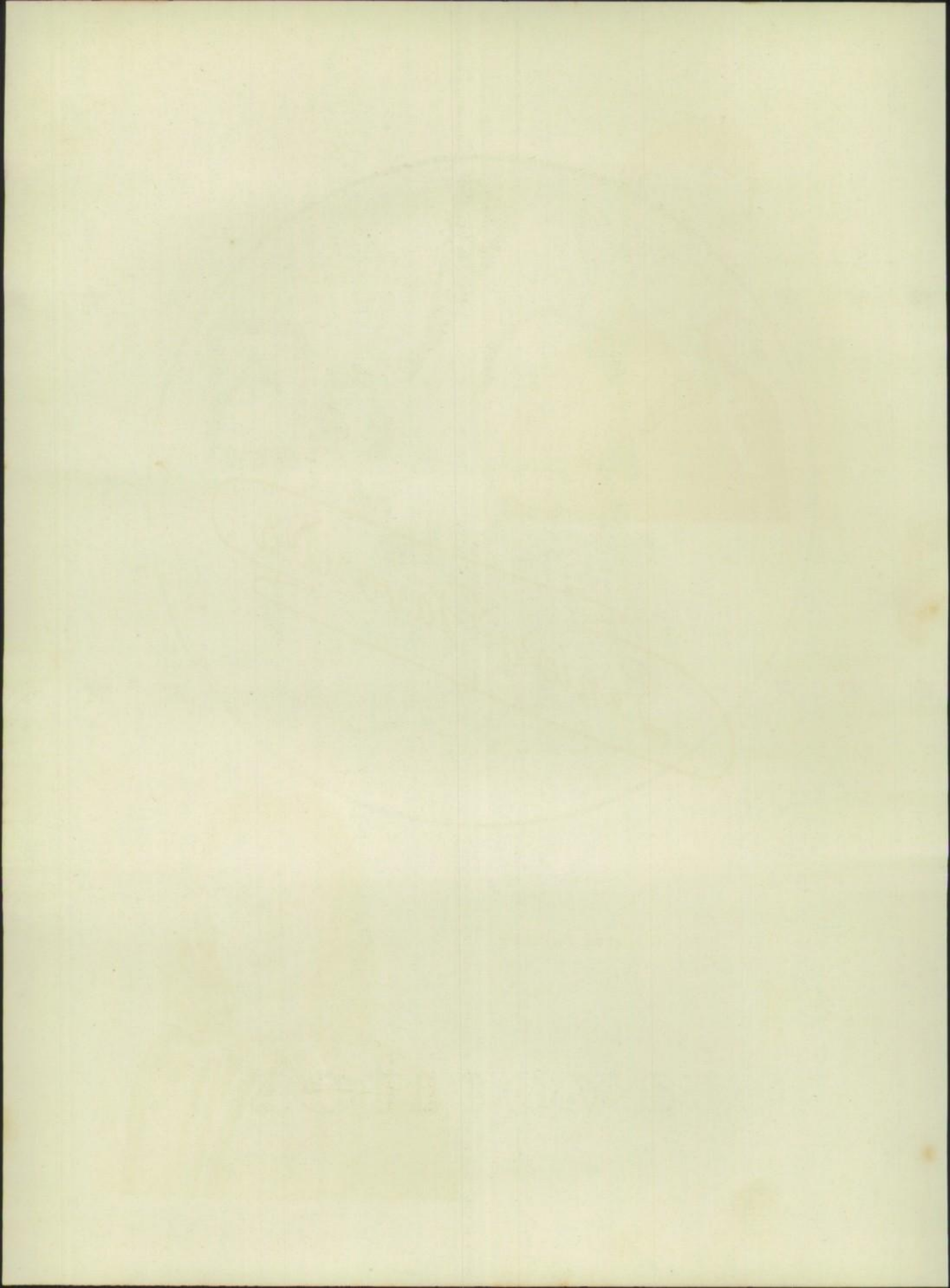
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favorites





Rayford Perry

Senior Favorites

Mildred Skinner



Admission

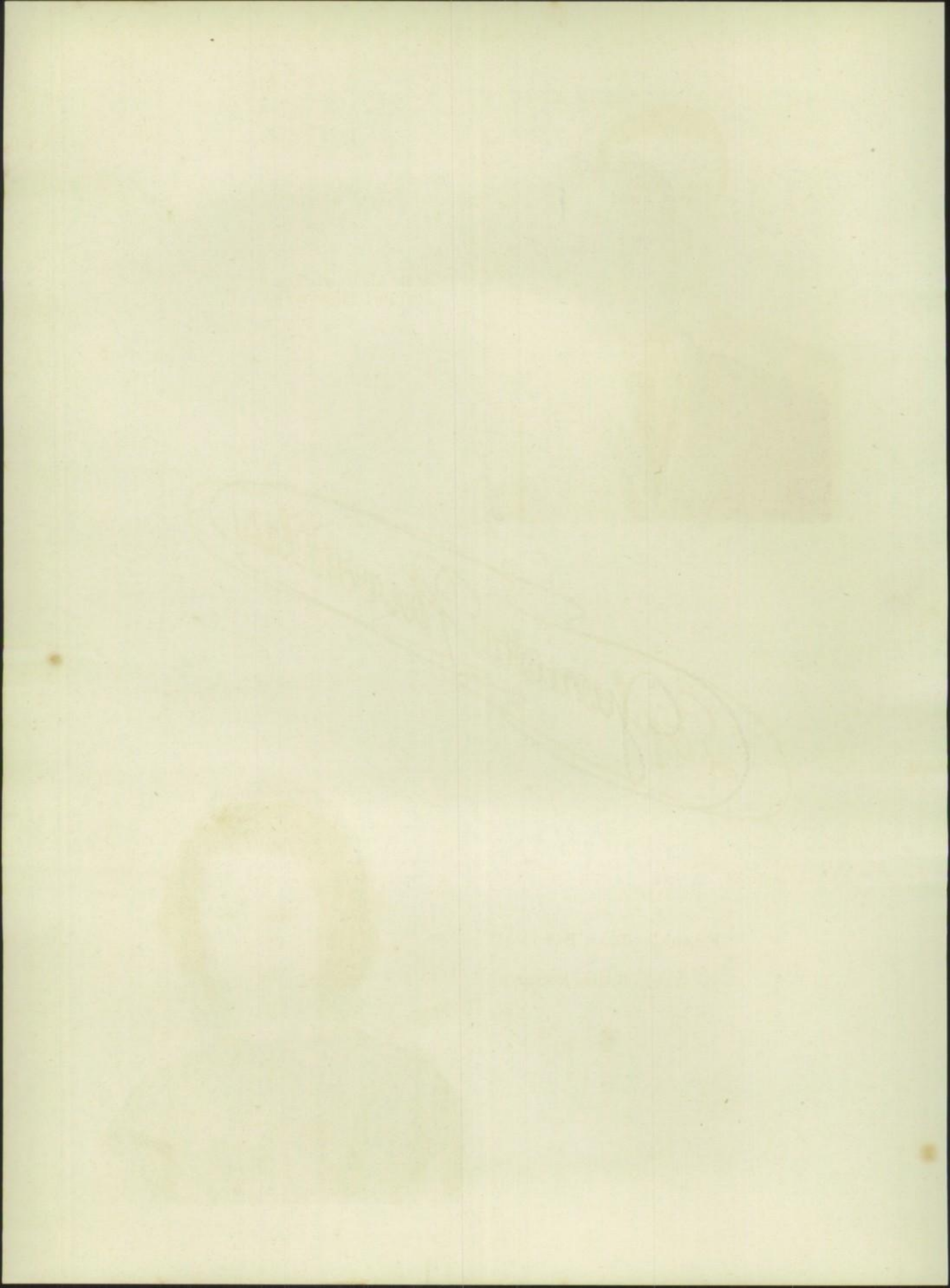


Max Cruseturner

Junior Favorites

Frankie Jean Birdwell







Darrel Beavers

Sophomore Favorites

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Chapman & Co
New York



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Maxine Skinner



Chlorophyll
mammals

Senior Intelligentsia



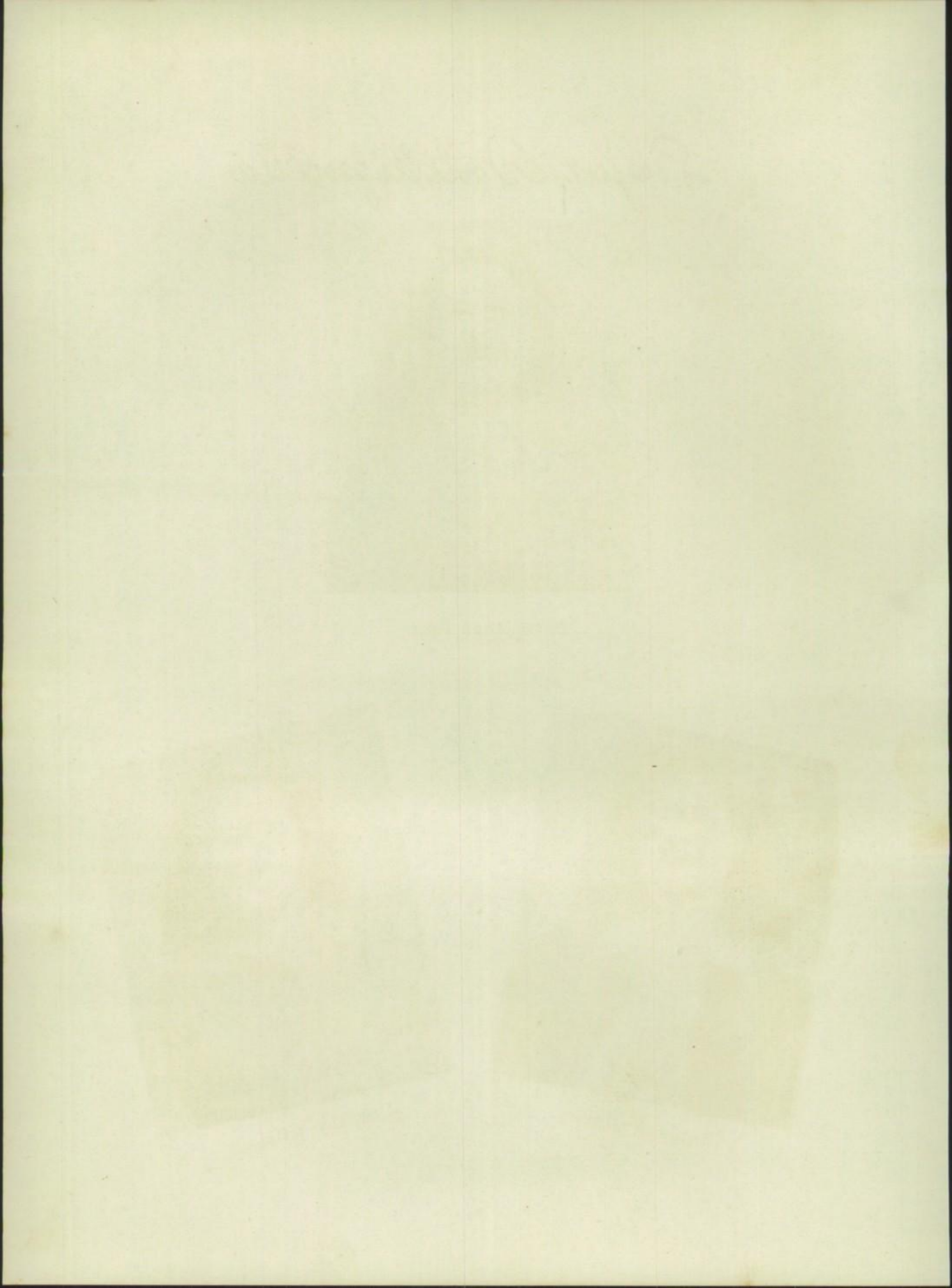
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Junior "Brains"



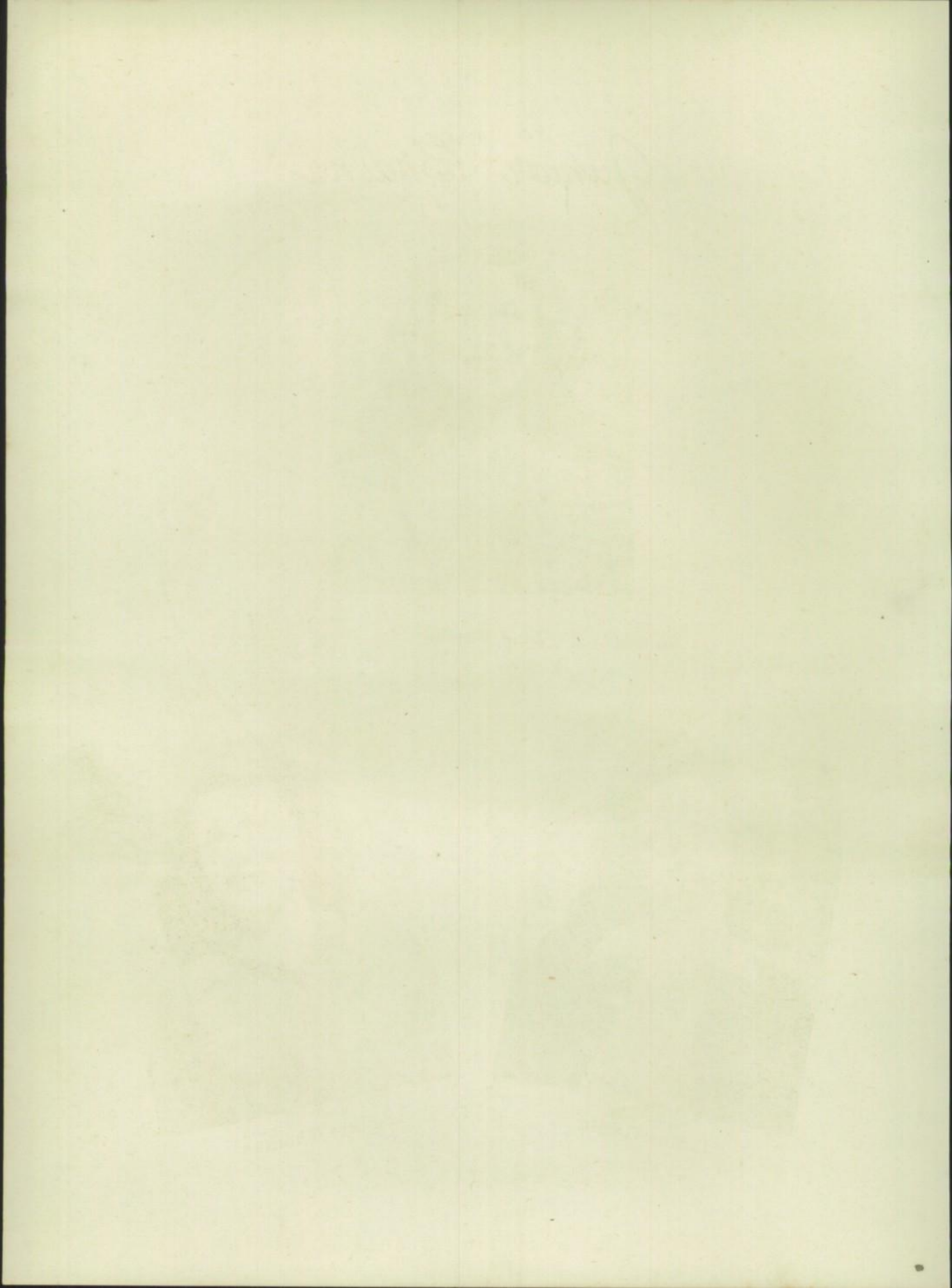
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Janice Gatlin

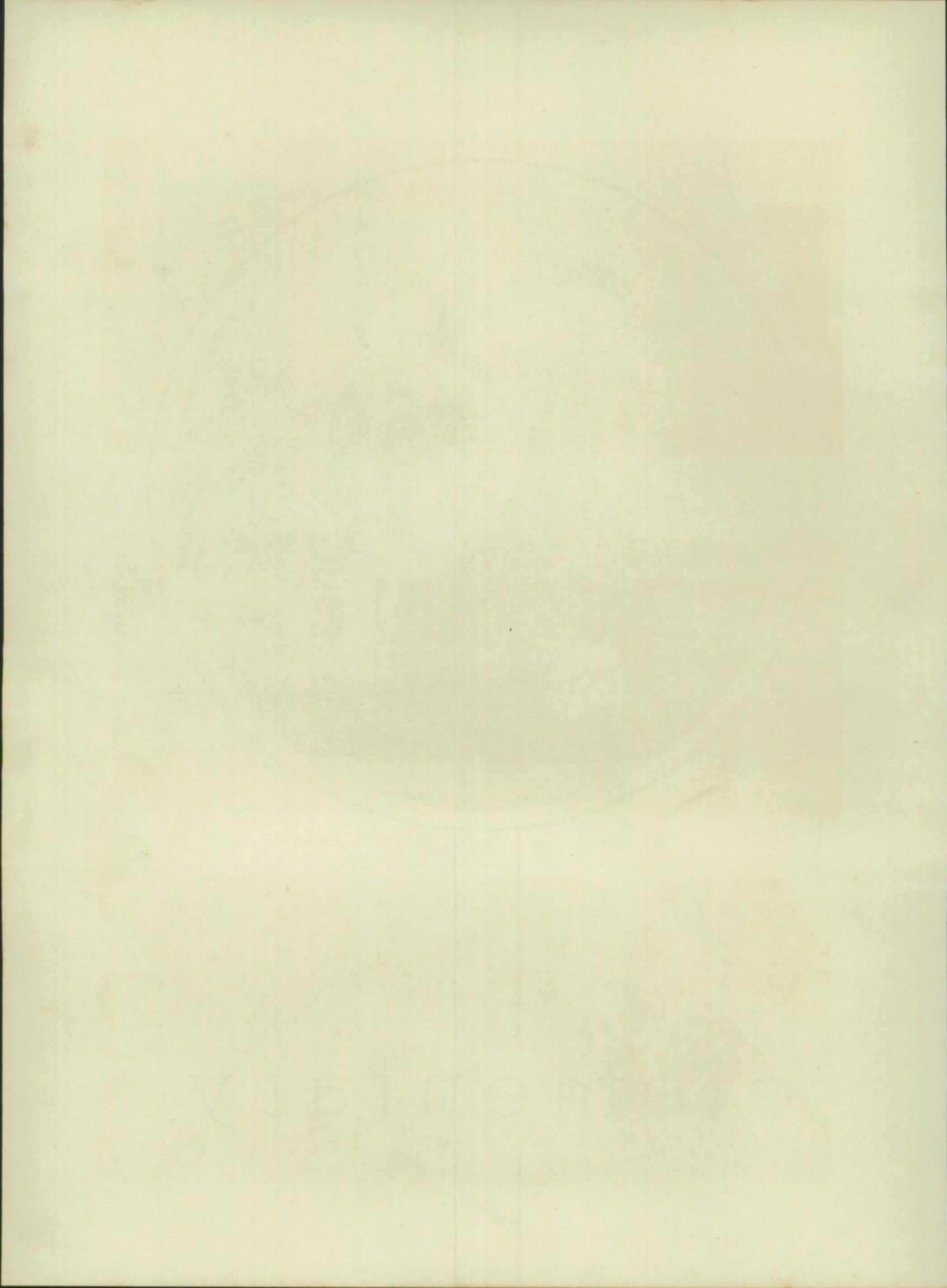


Laquita Thomas





elementary



Our Very Own First Grade

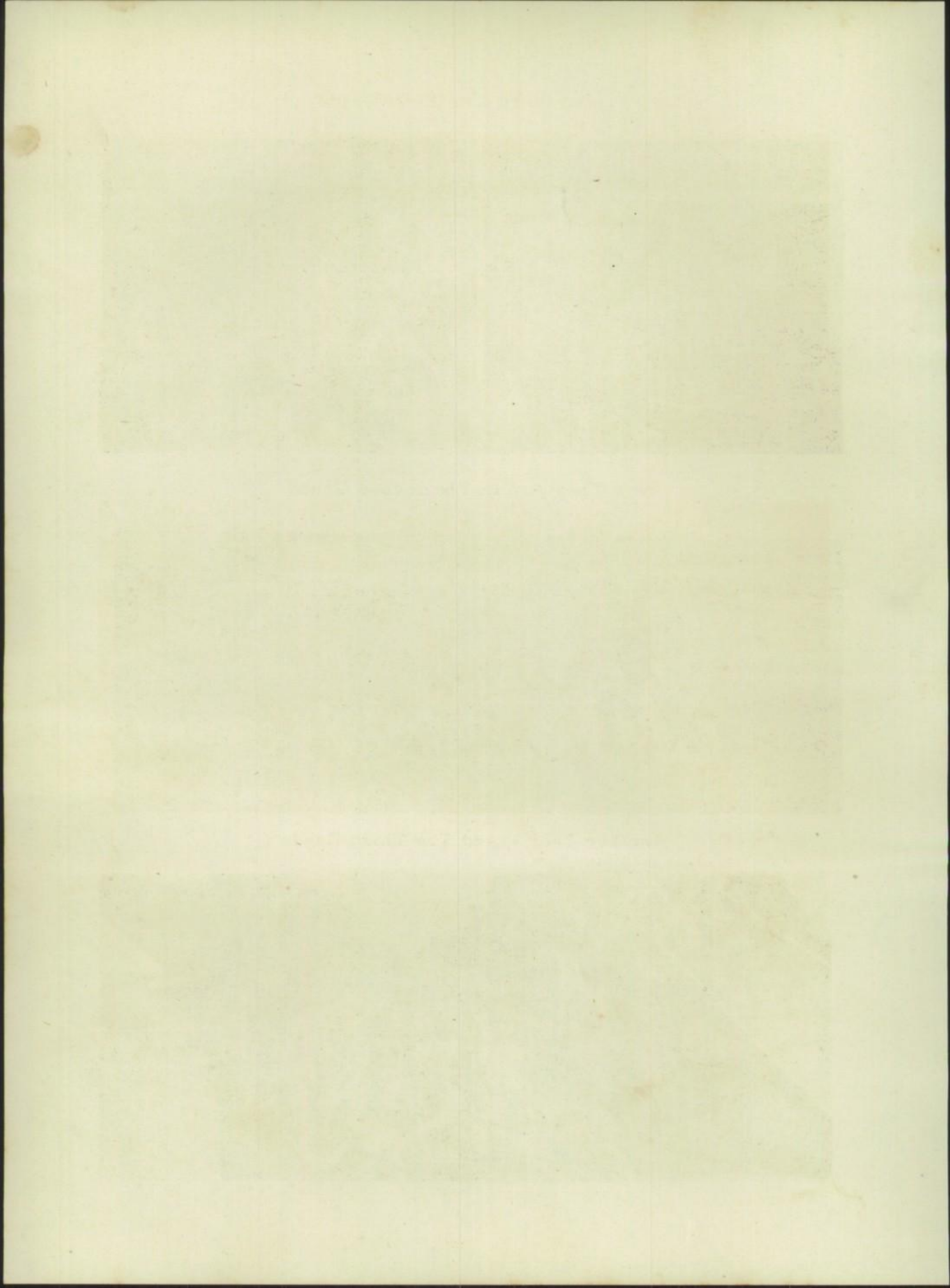


Now They Are In The Second Grade



Another Year - And The Third Grade





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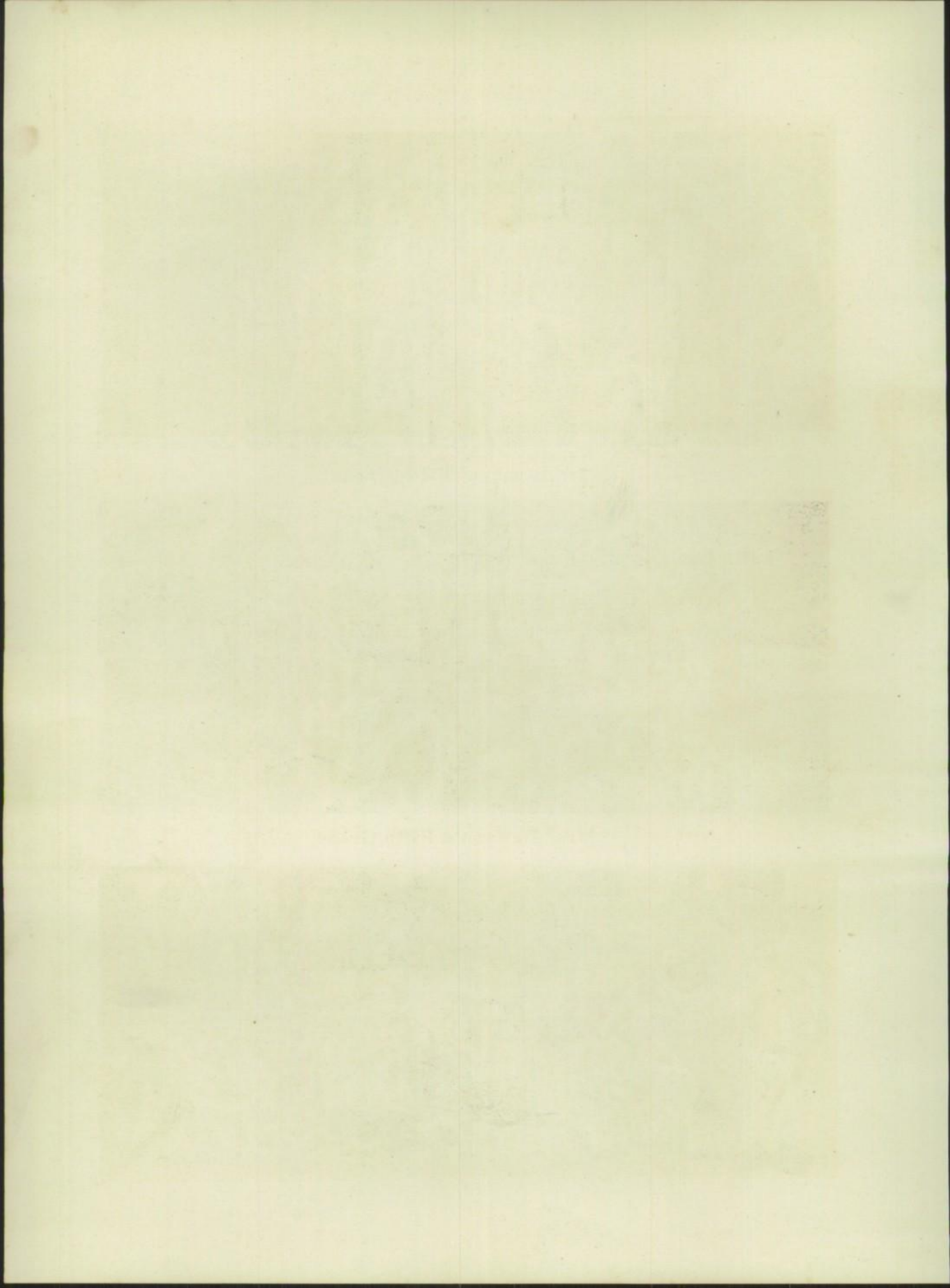


Mrs. Rogers' Fifth Grade



Mrs. Dawson's Fifth Grade





A Working Sixth Grade



A "Great Big" Seventh Grade

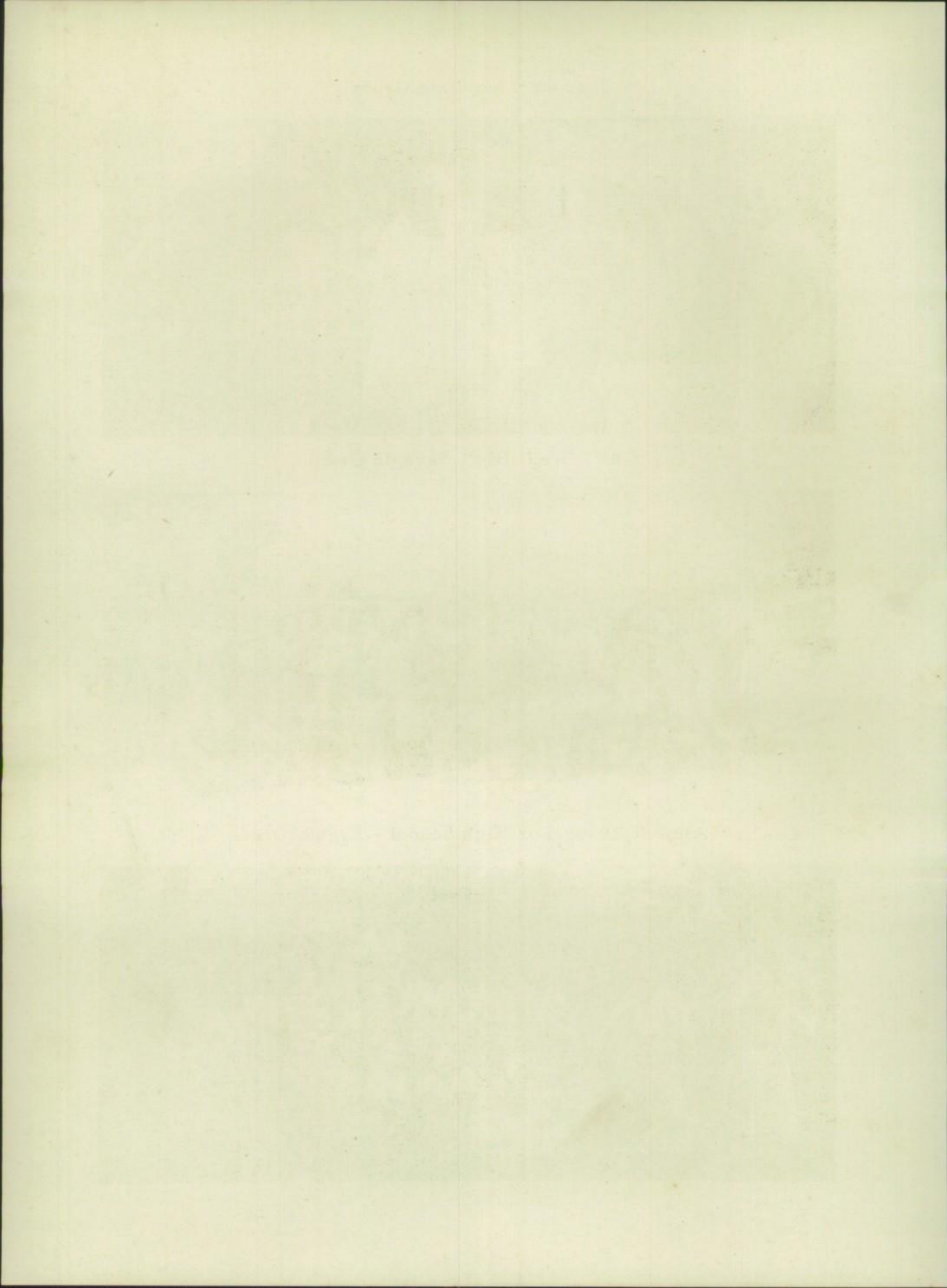


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Laurie Jr.

Almost Ready For High School - Eighth Grade

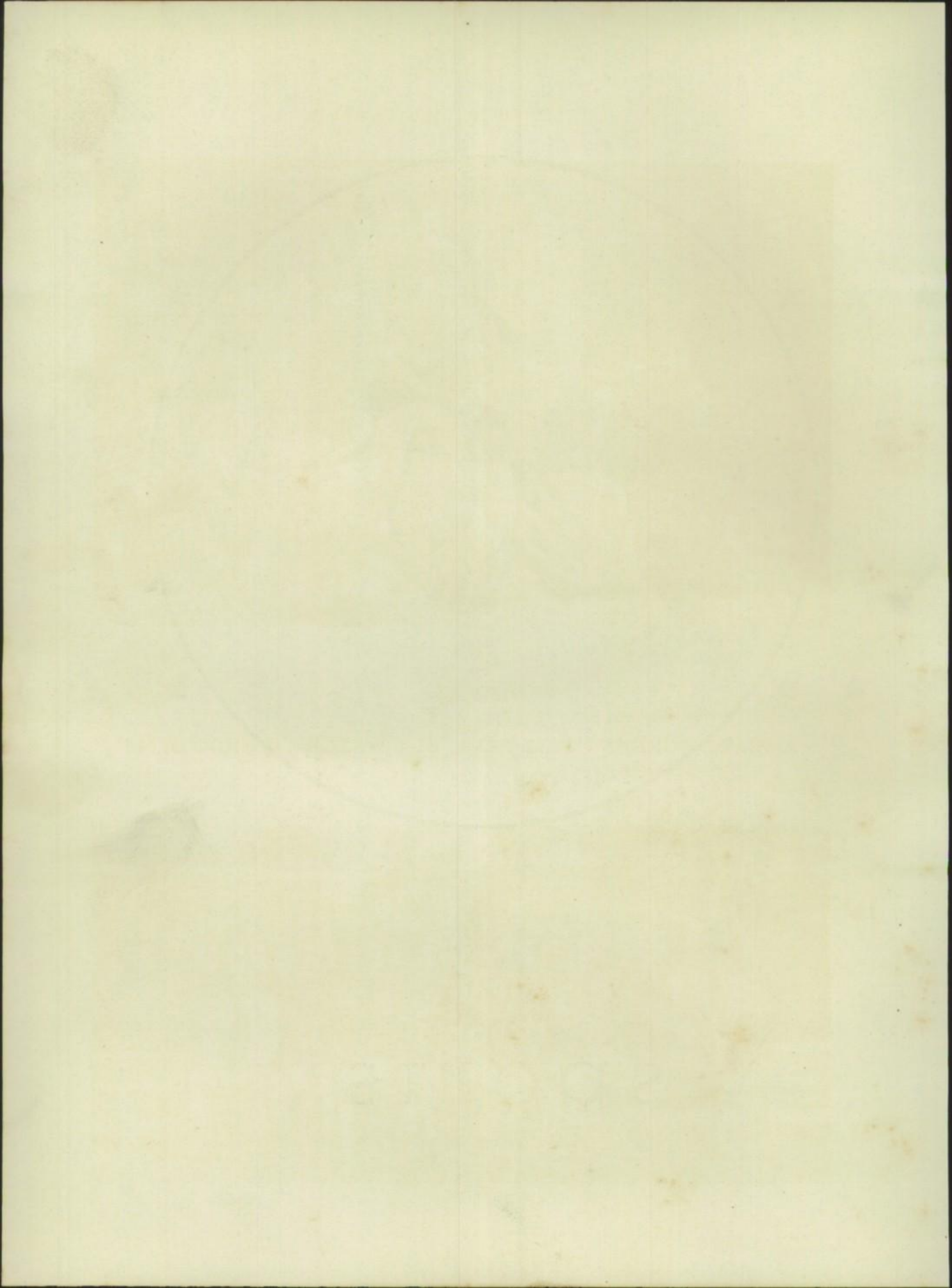


Rebecca Langford





sports

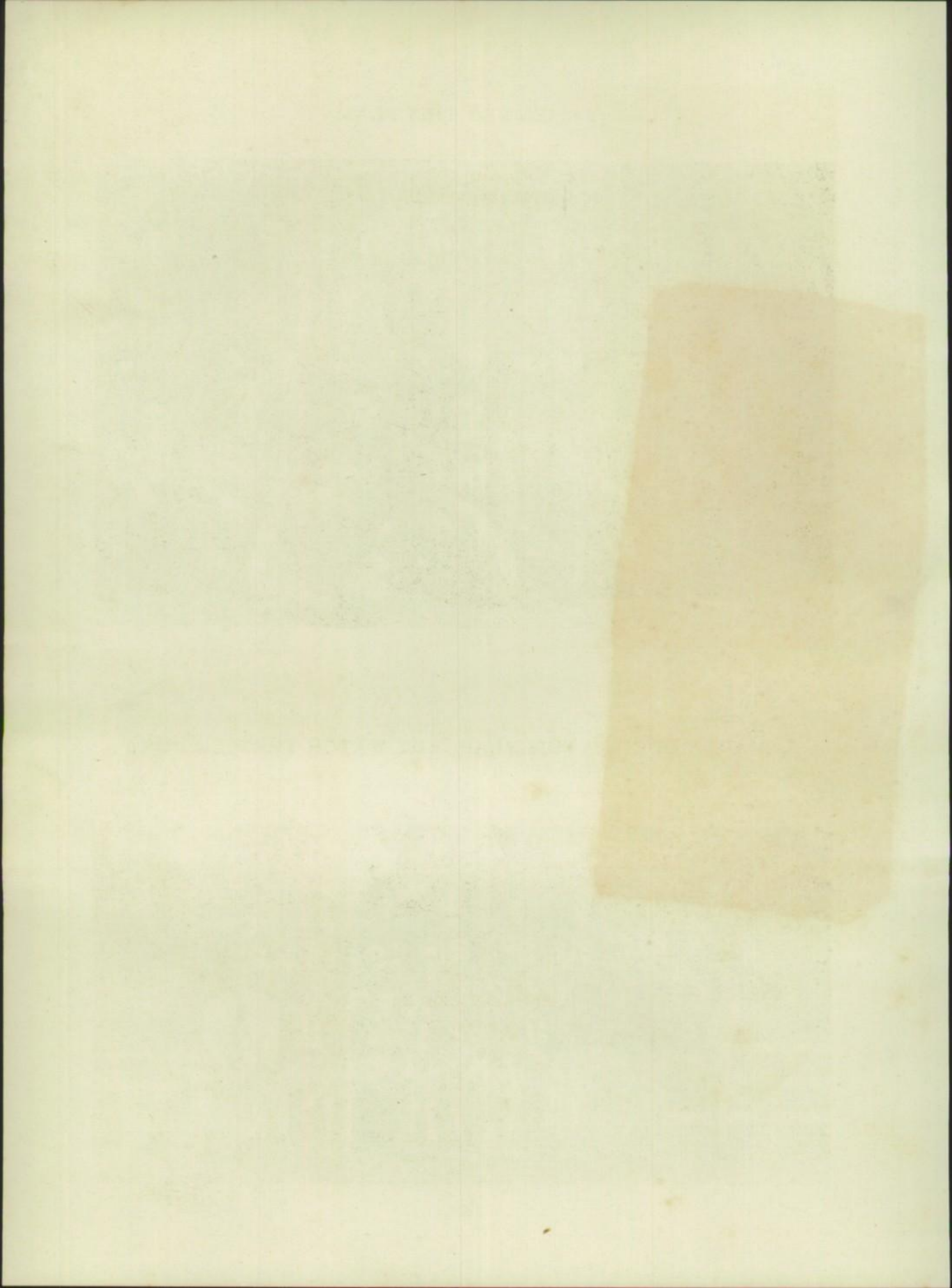


REMEMBER THIS TEAM !



A SHADE "GREEN" THIS YEAR, BUT WATCH THEM GO IN '48







Troy Gresham
Captain
Guard



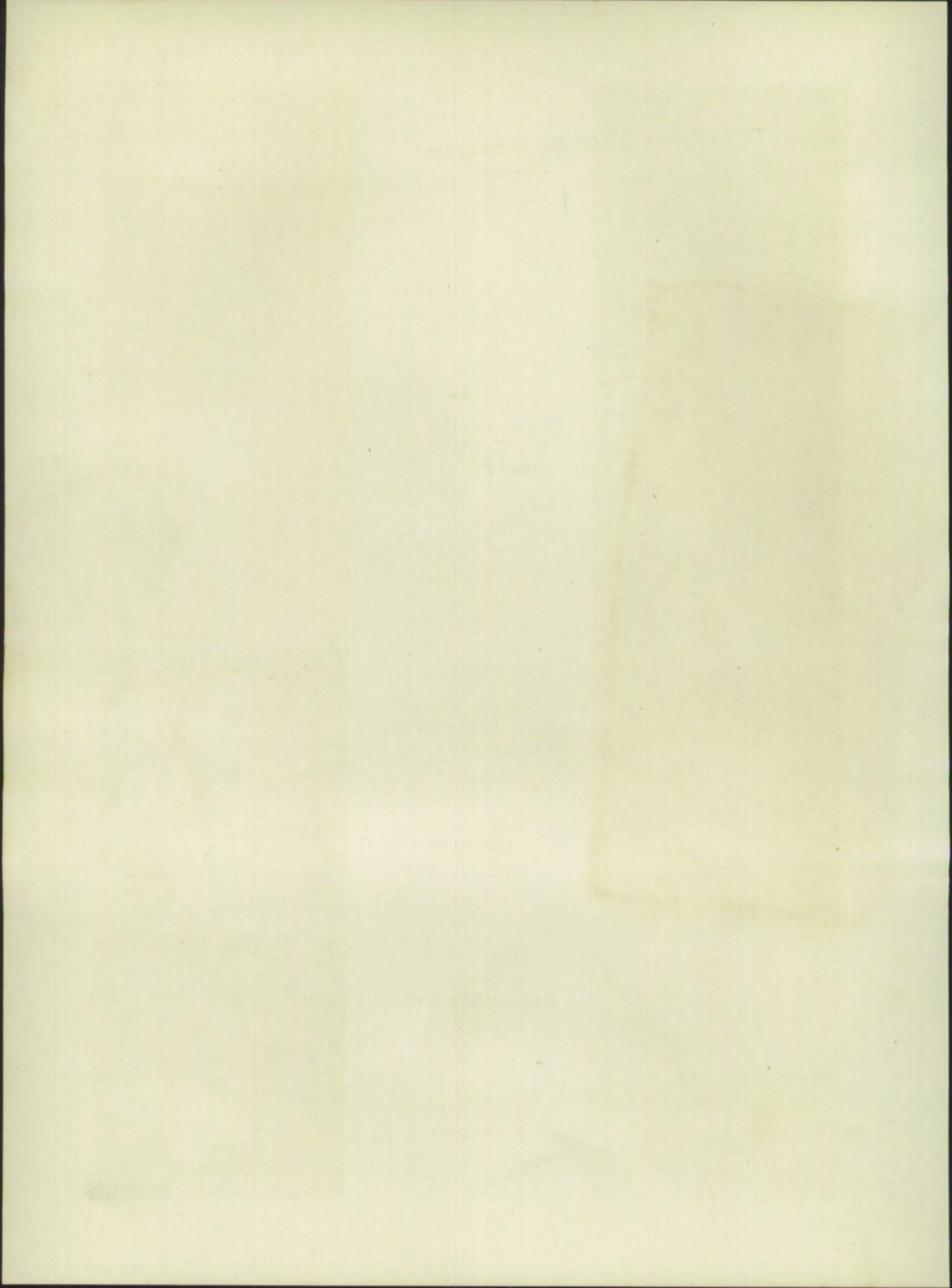
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Max Cruseturner
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Keifer Richards
Forward







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John A. Denny
Guard



Travis Gresham
Forward



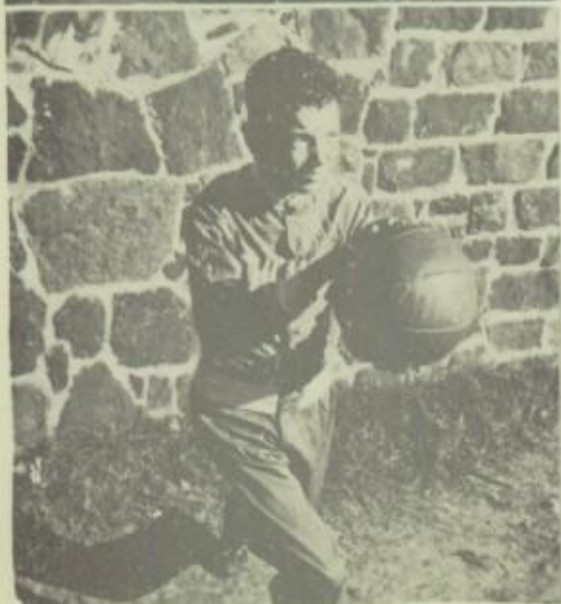
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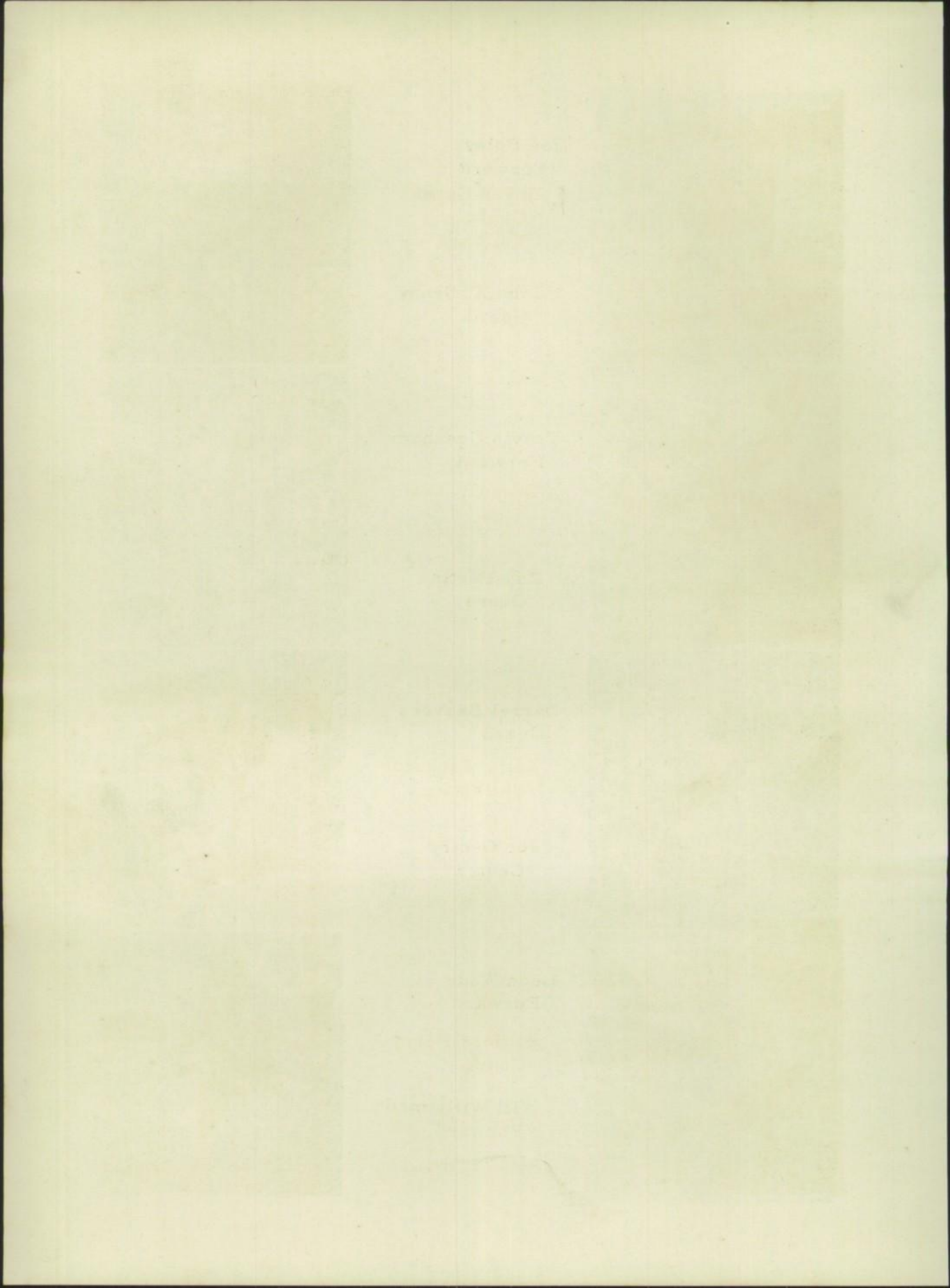
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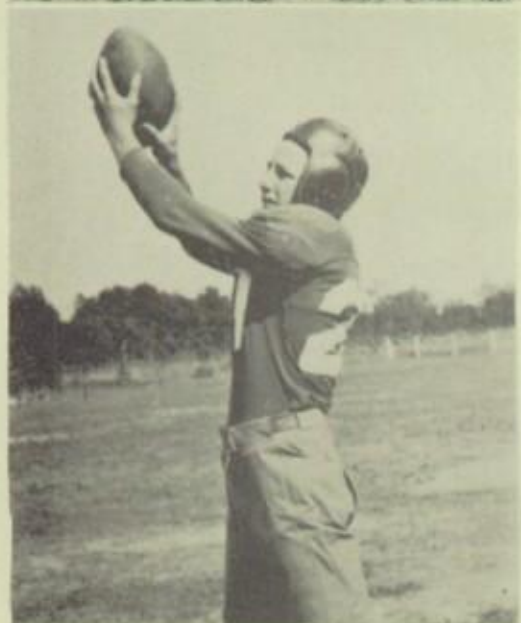




Bryan Gatlin
Captain
Fullback



Coach James Rogers



Troy Gresham
End

Keifer Richards
Halfback

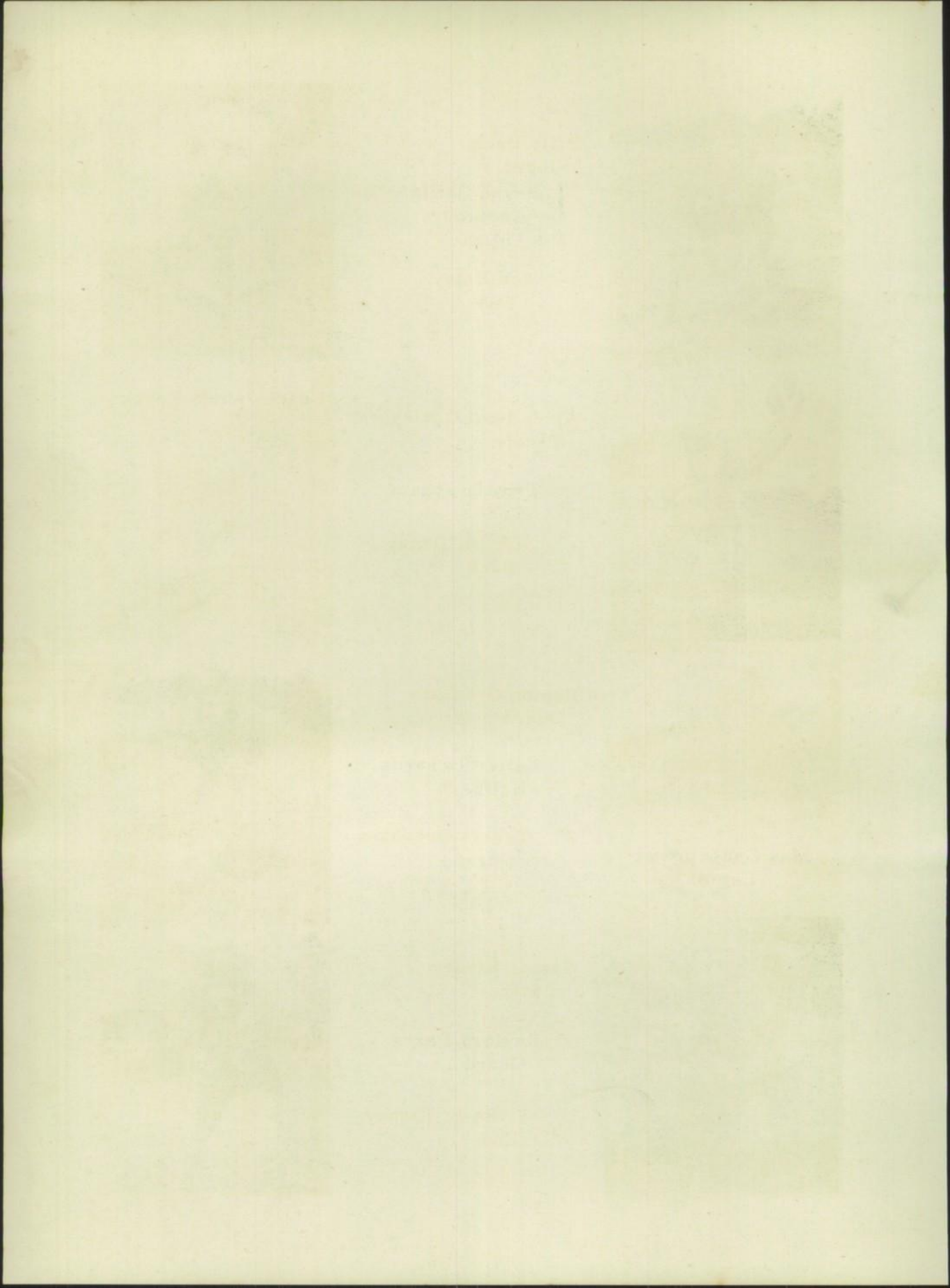


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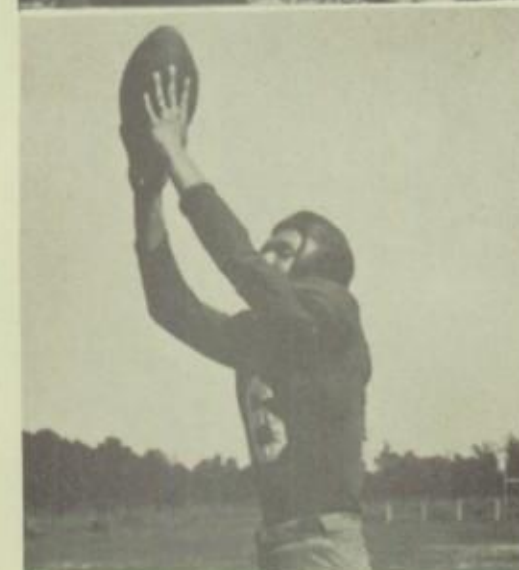
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Arvle Neal Corley
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End



John A. Denny
Back



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Guard



Willie B. Kinney
End



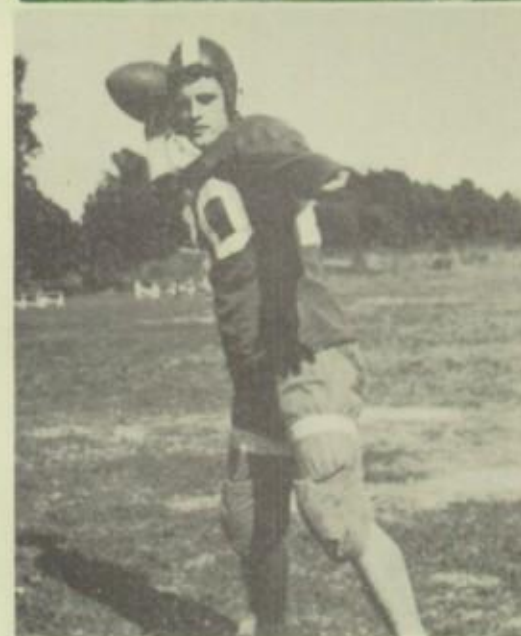
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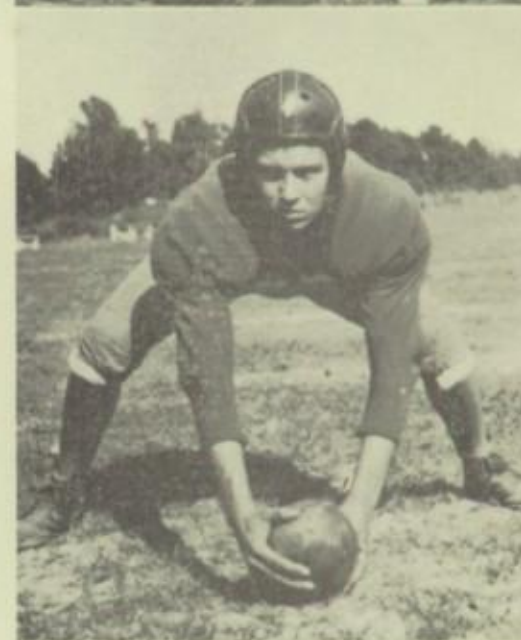
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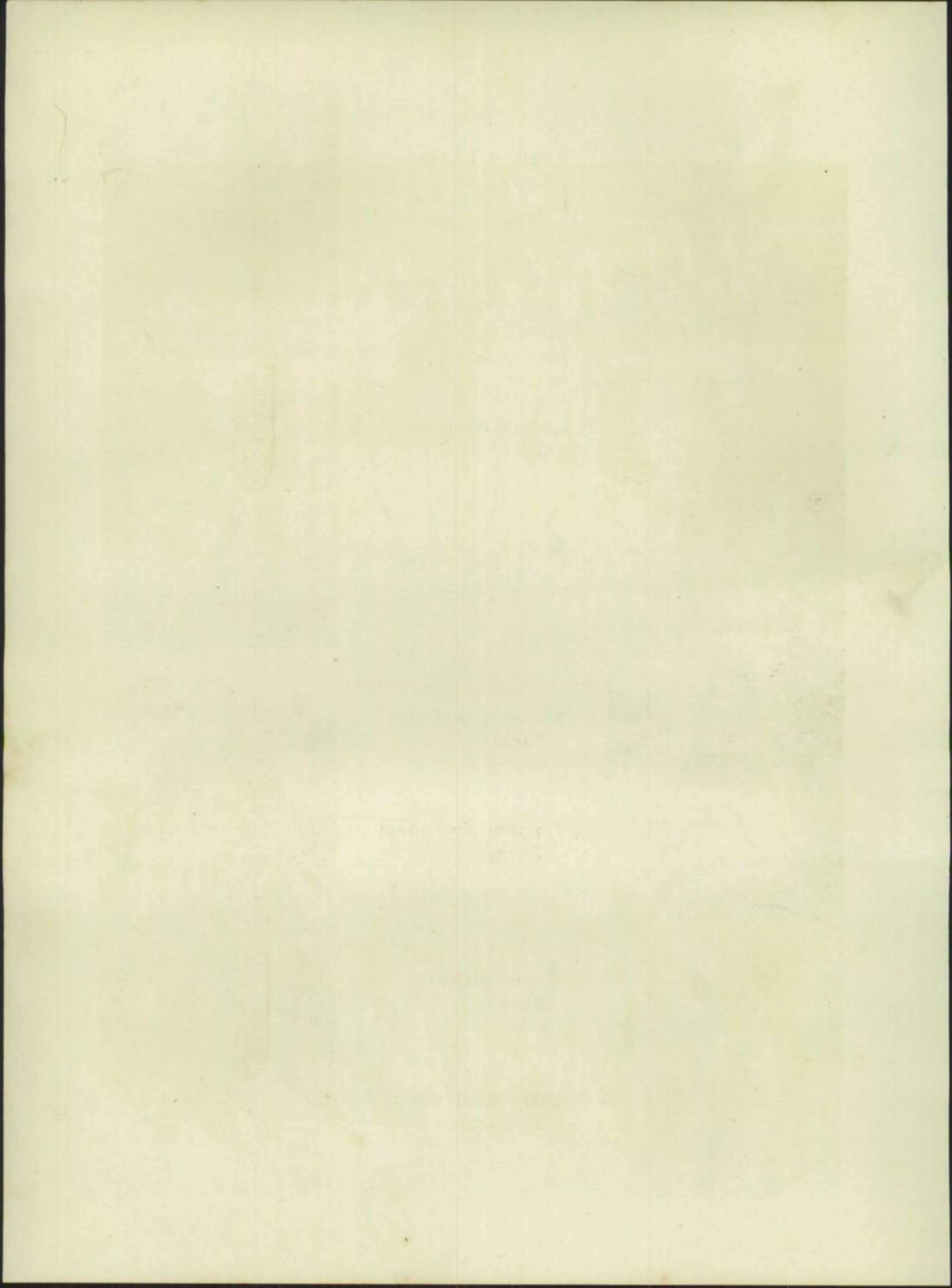
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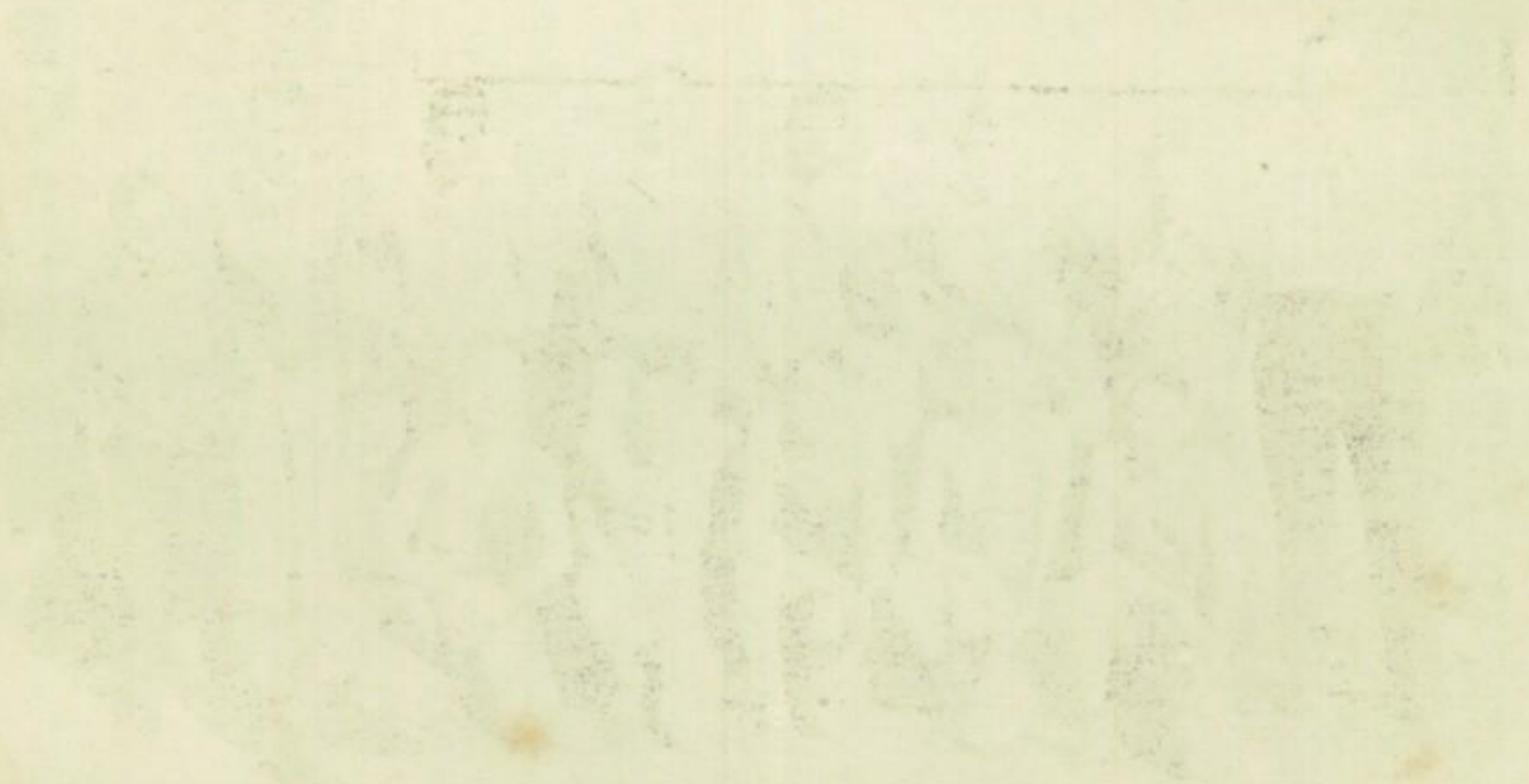


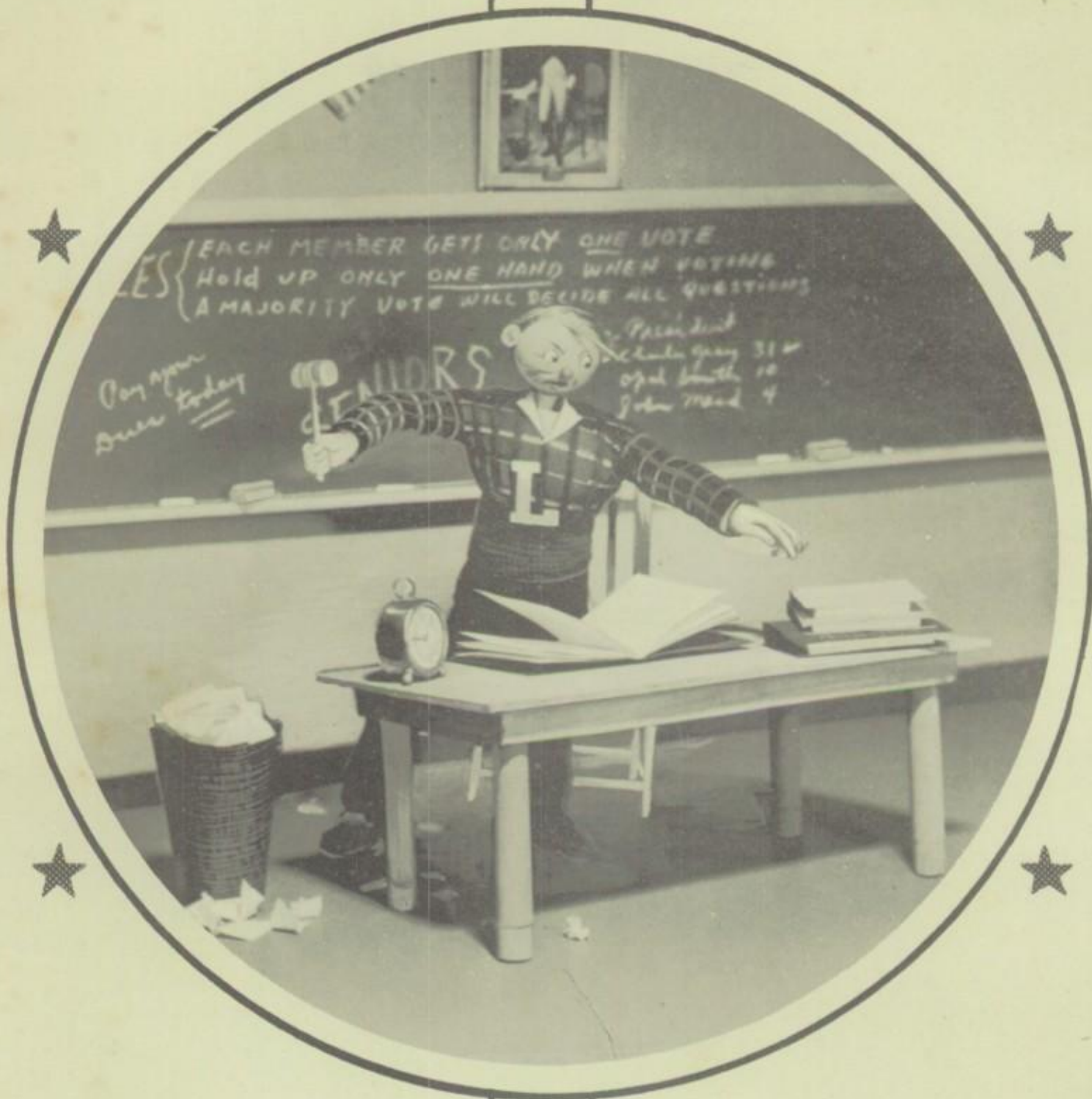
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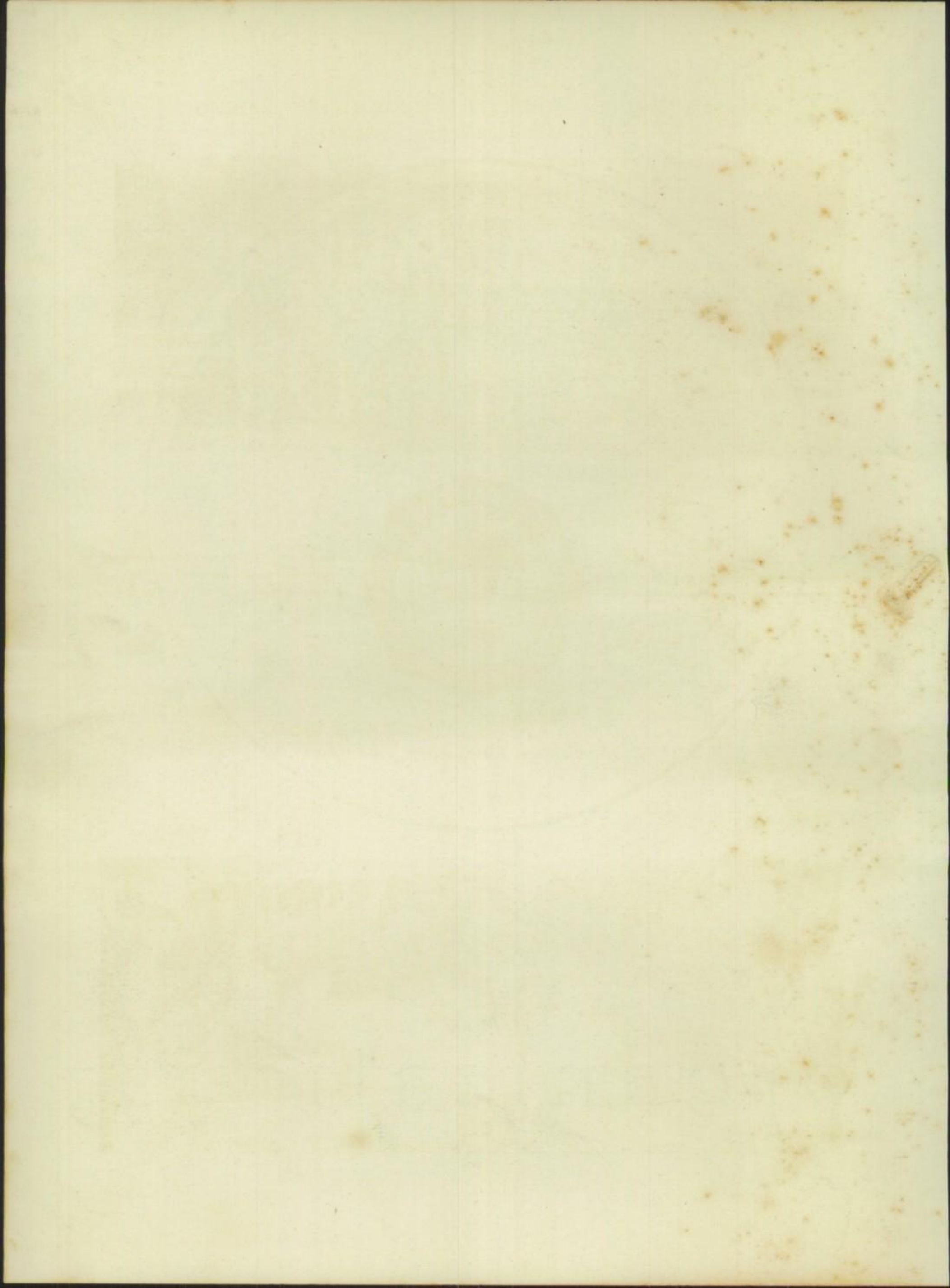


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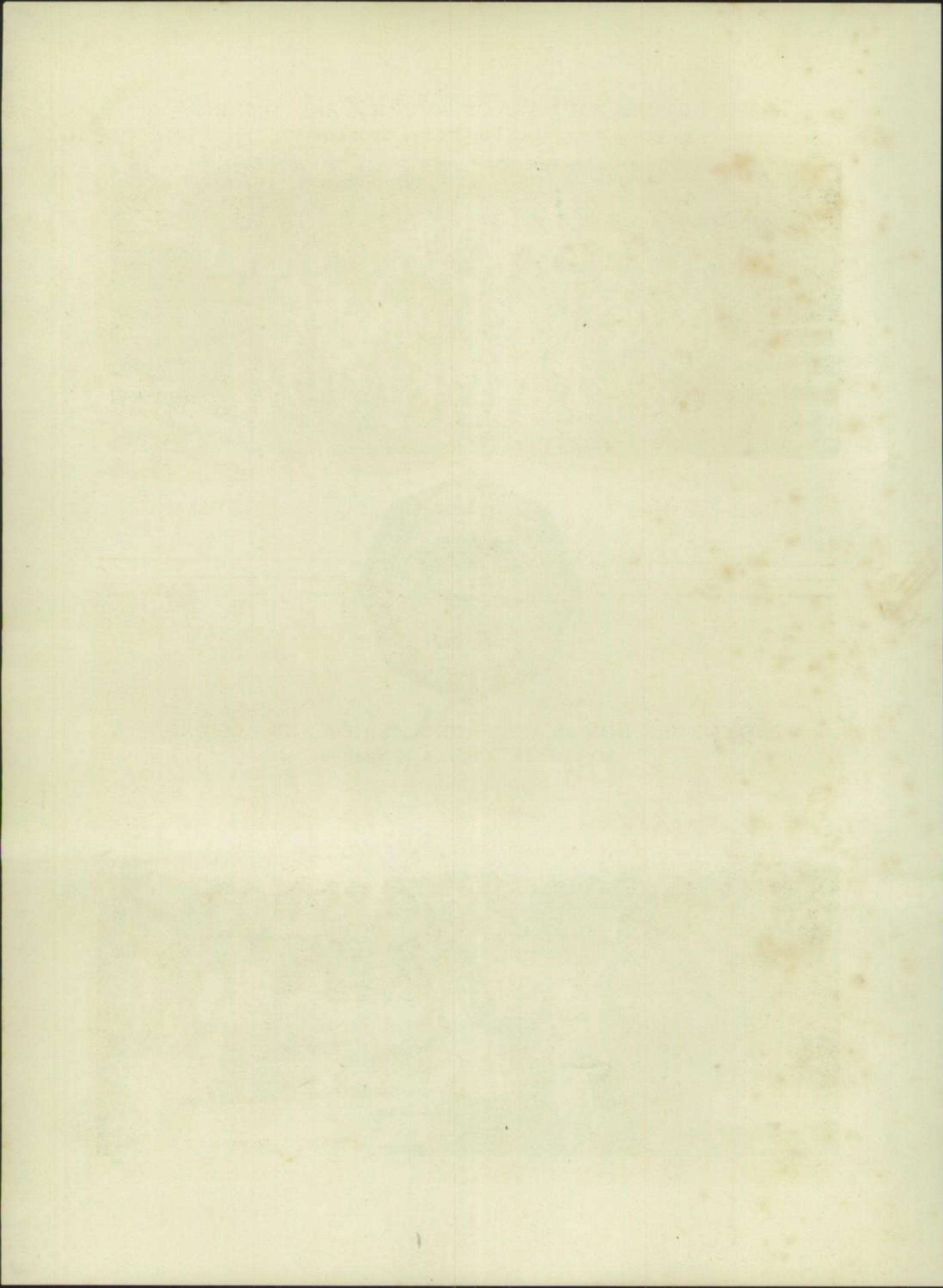


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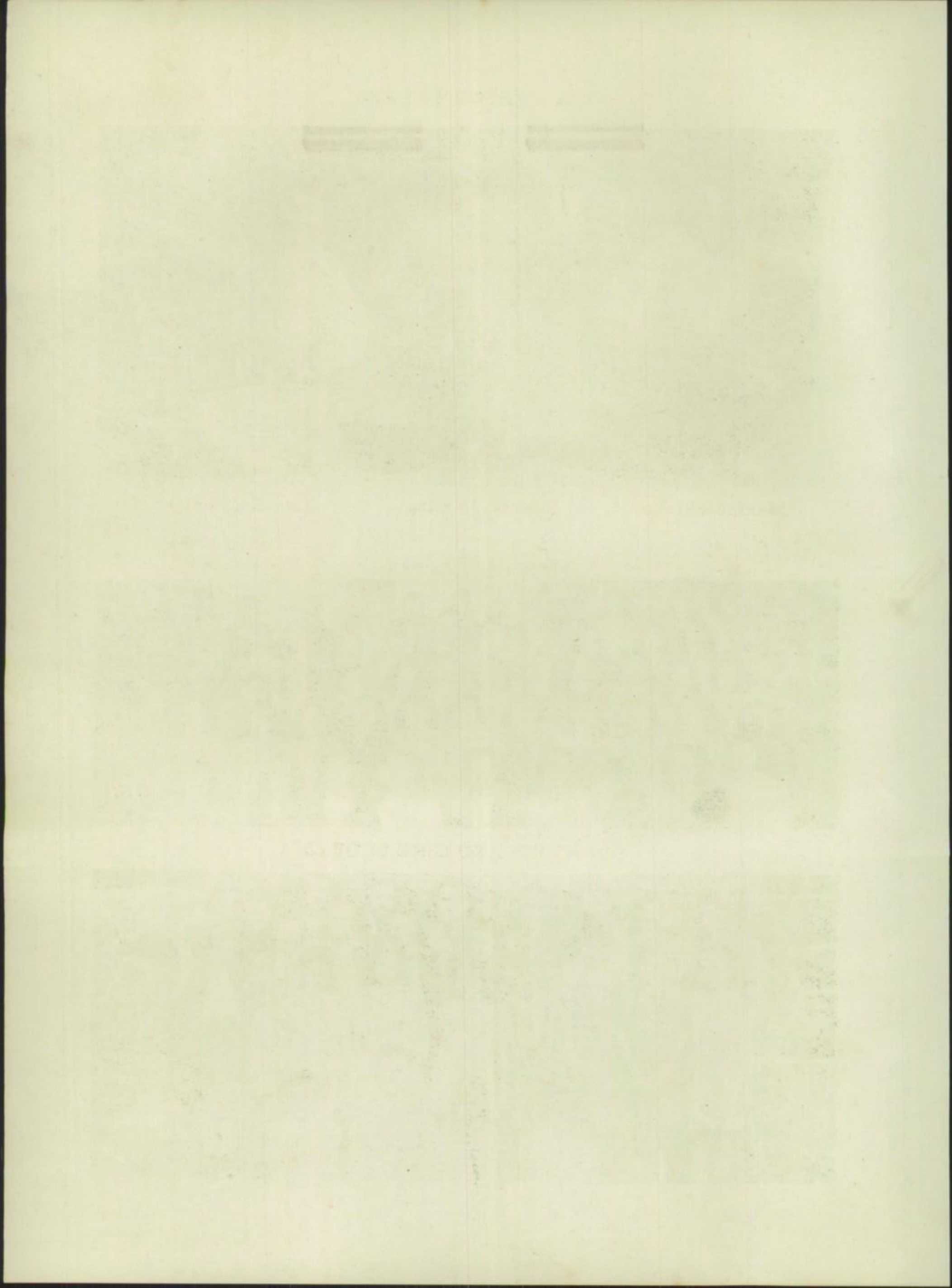
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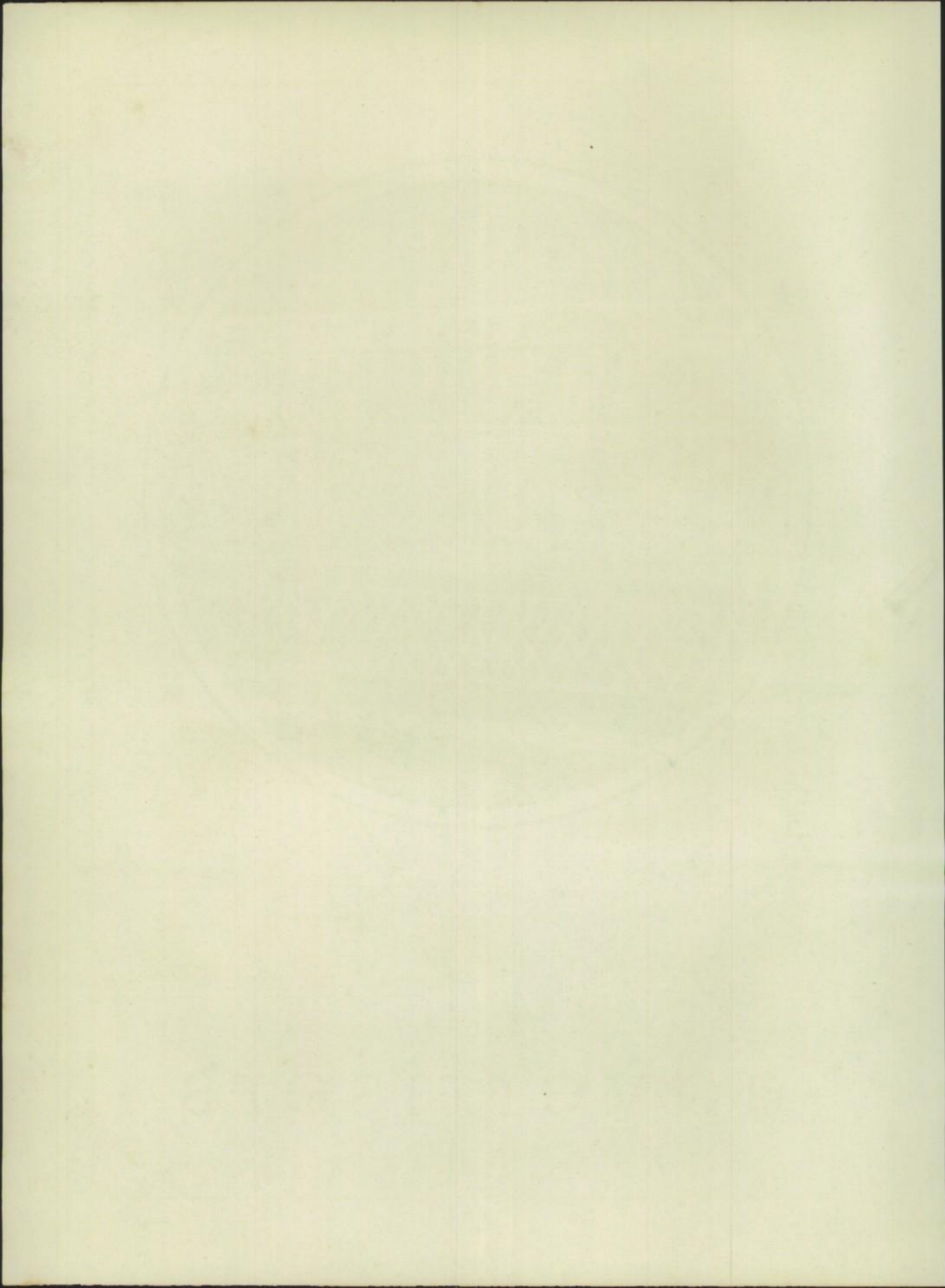
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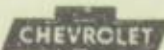
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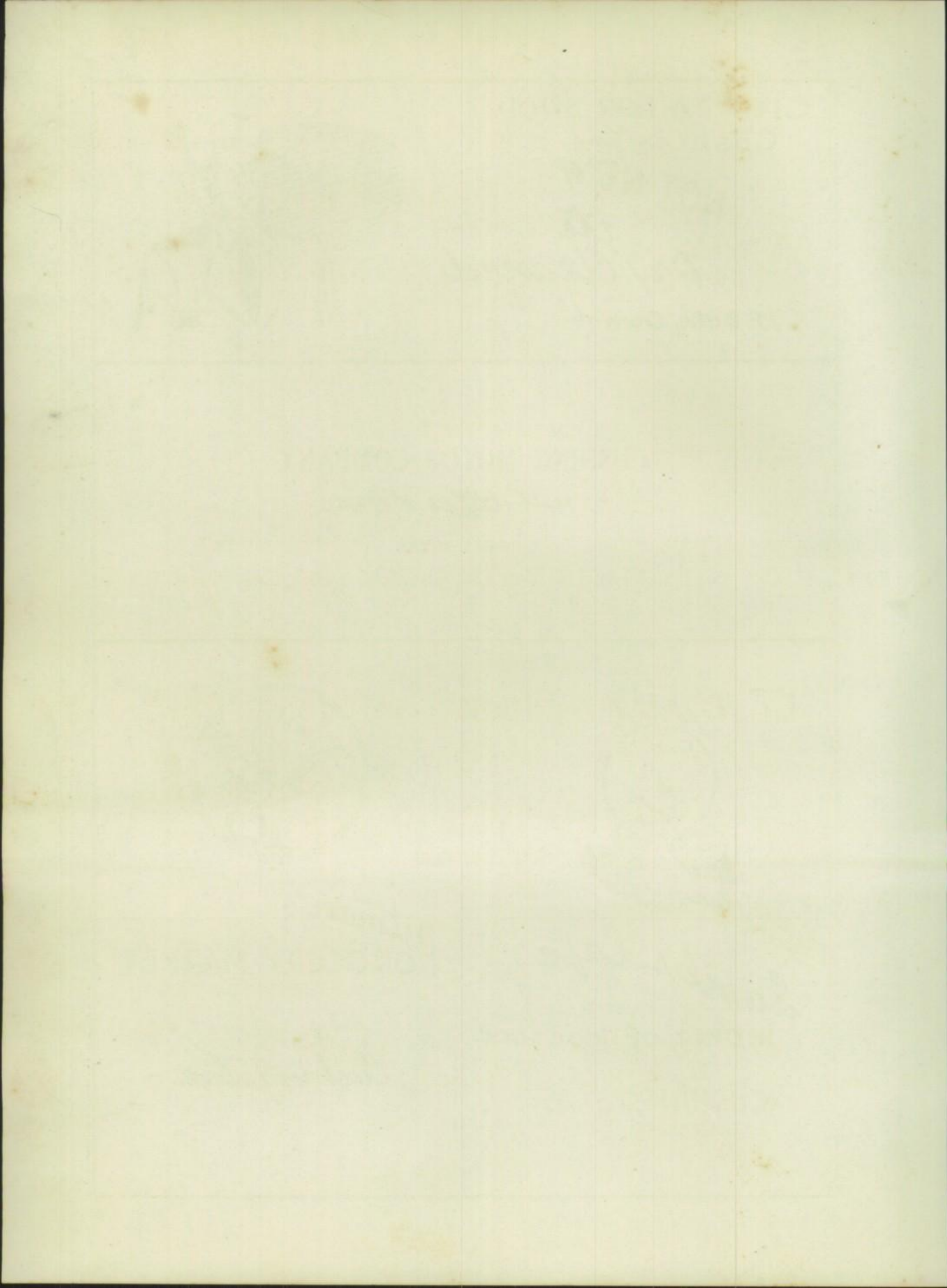
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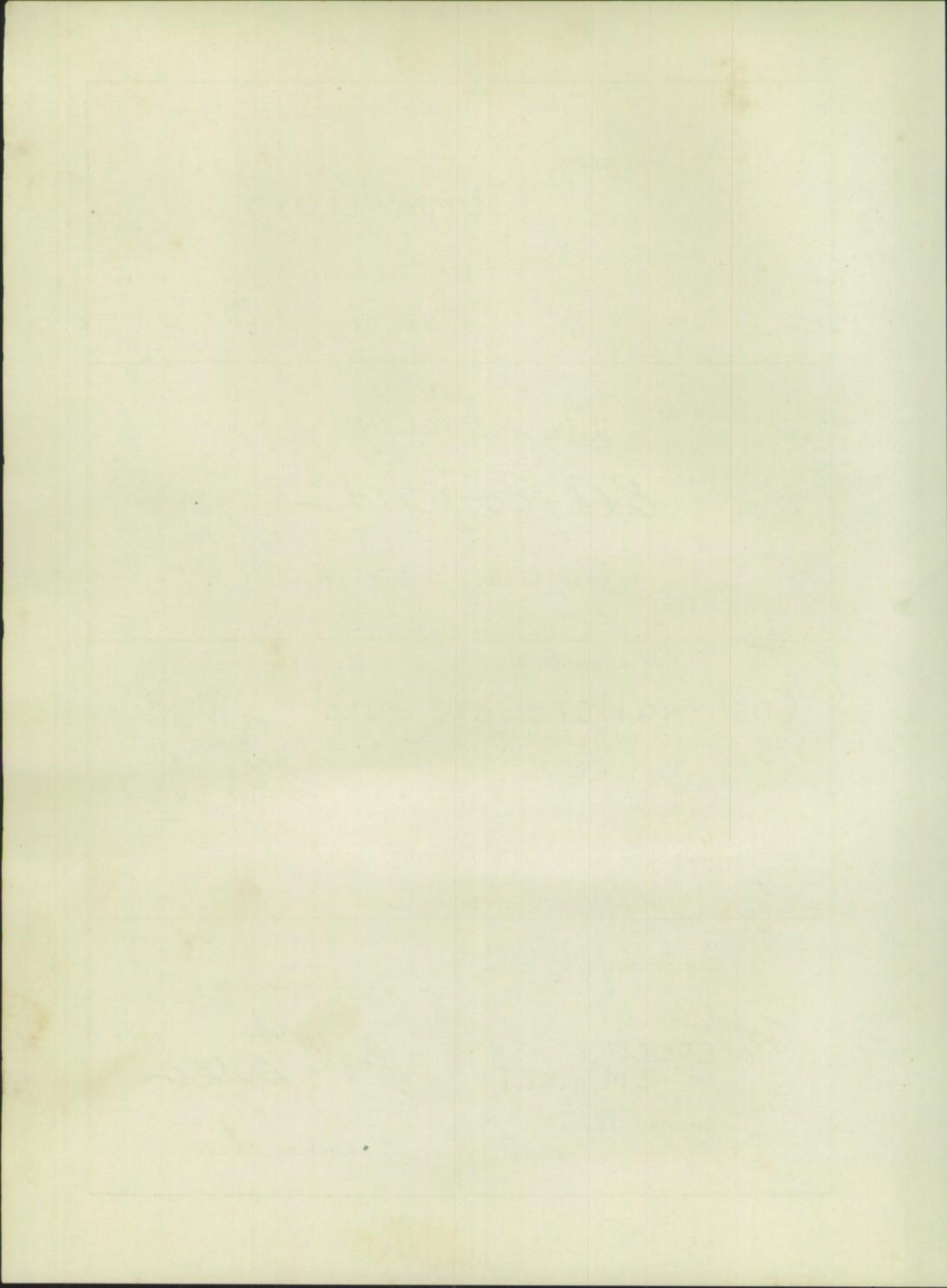


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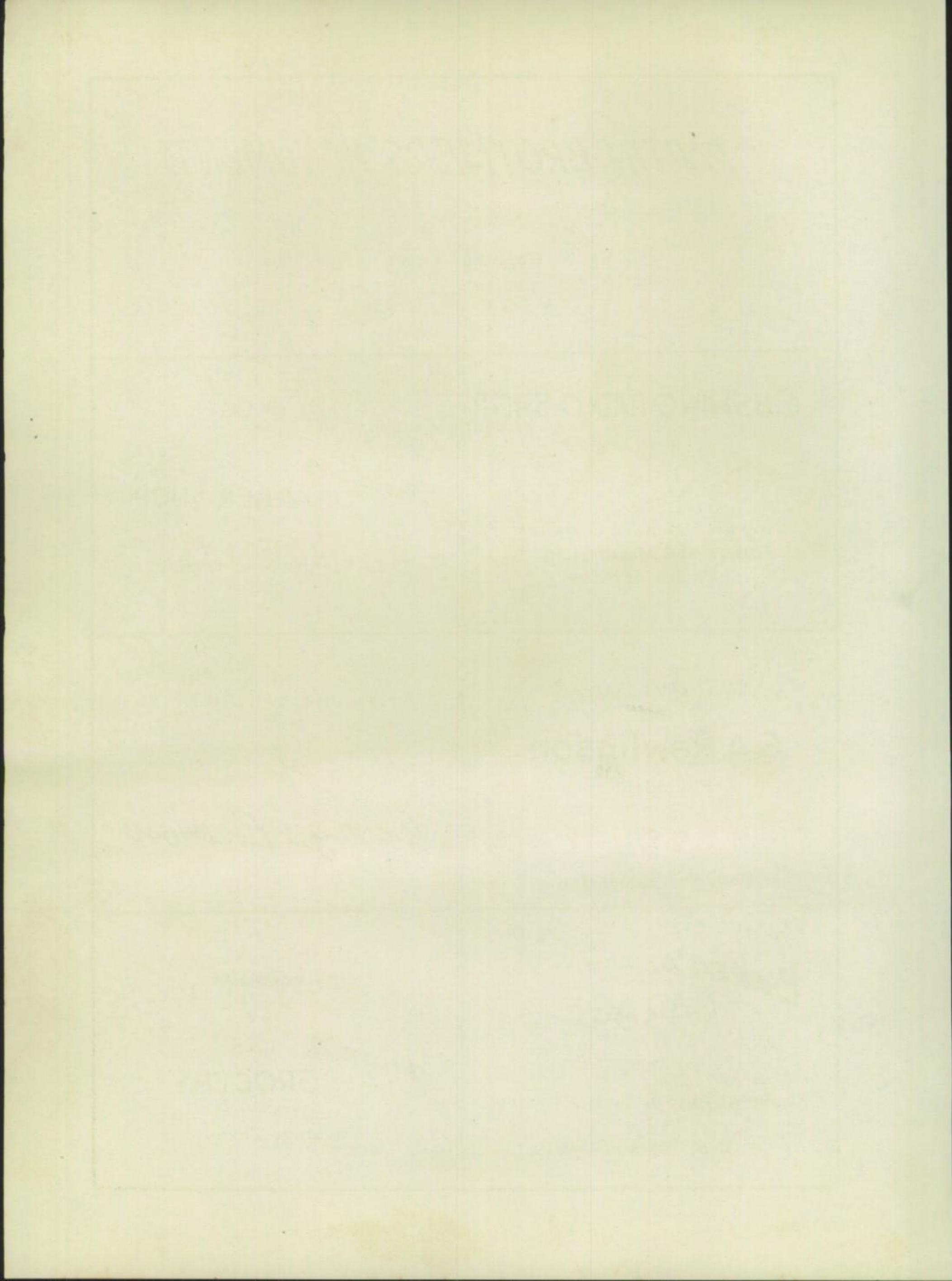
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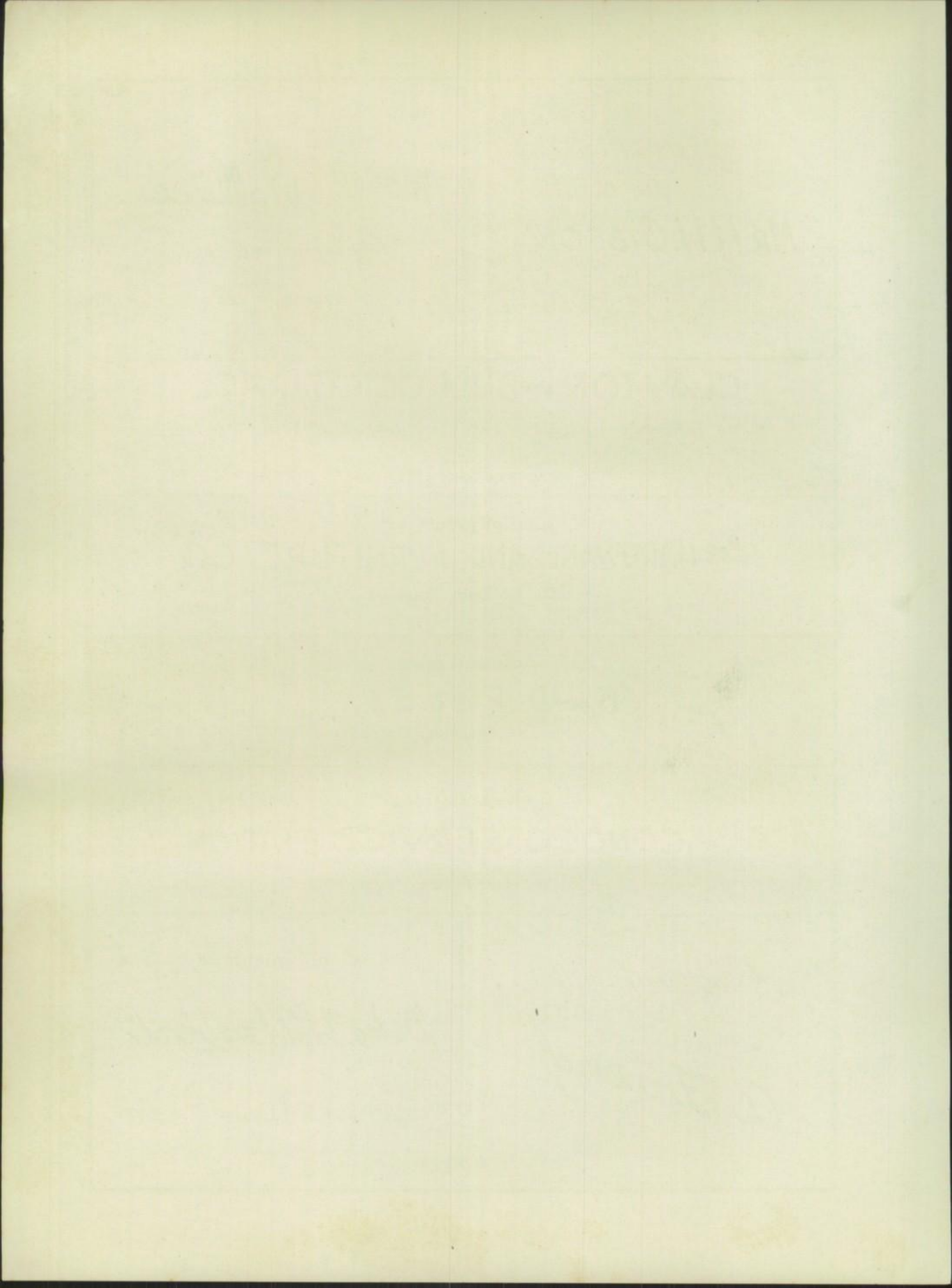
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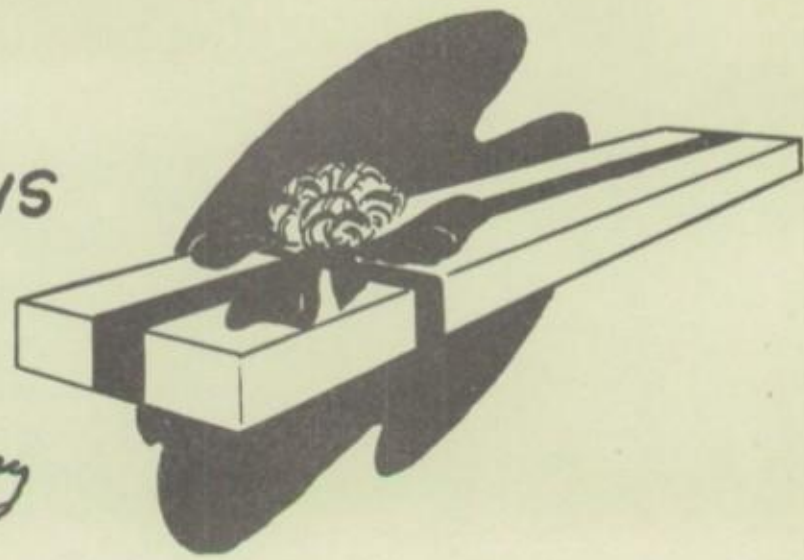
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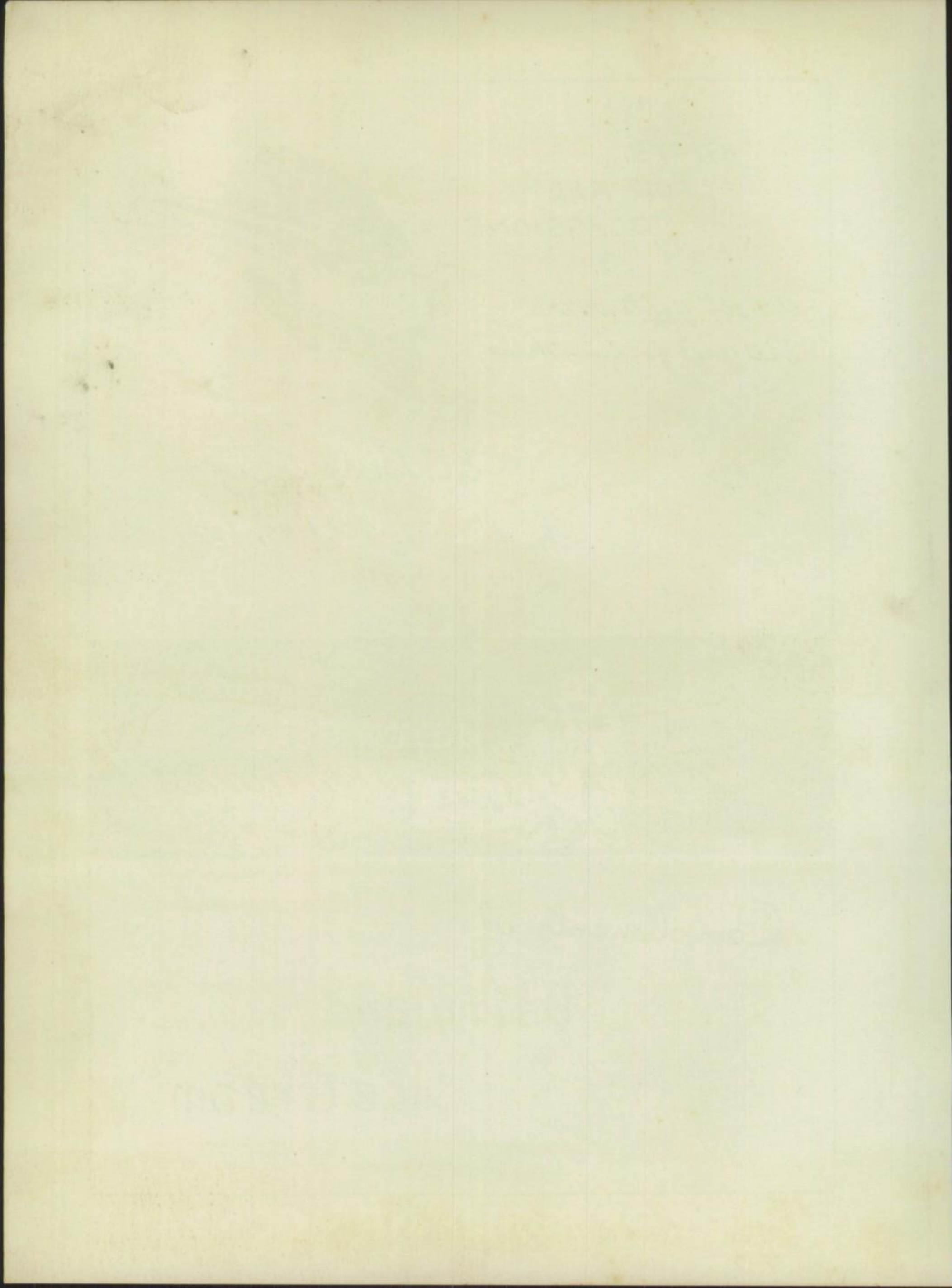


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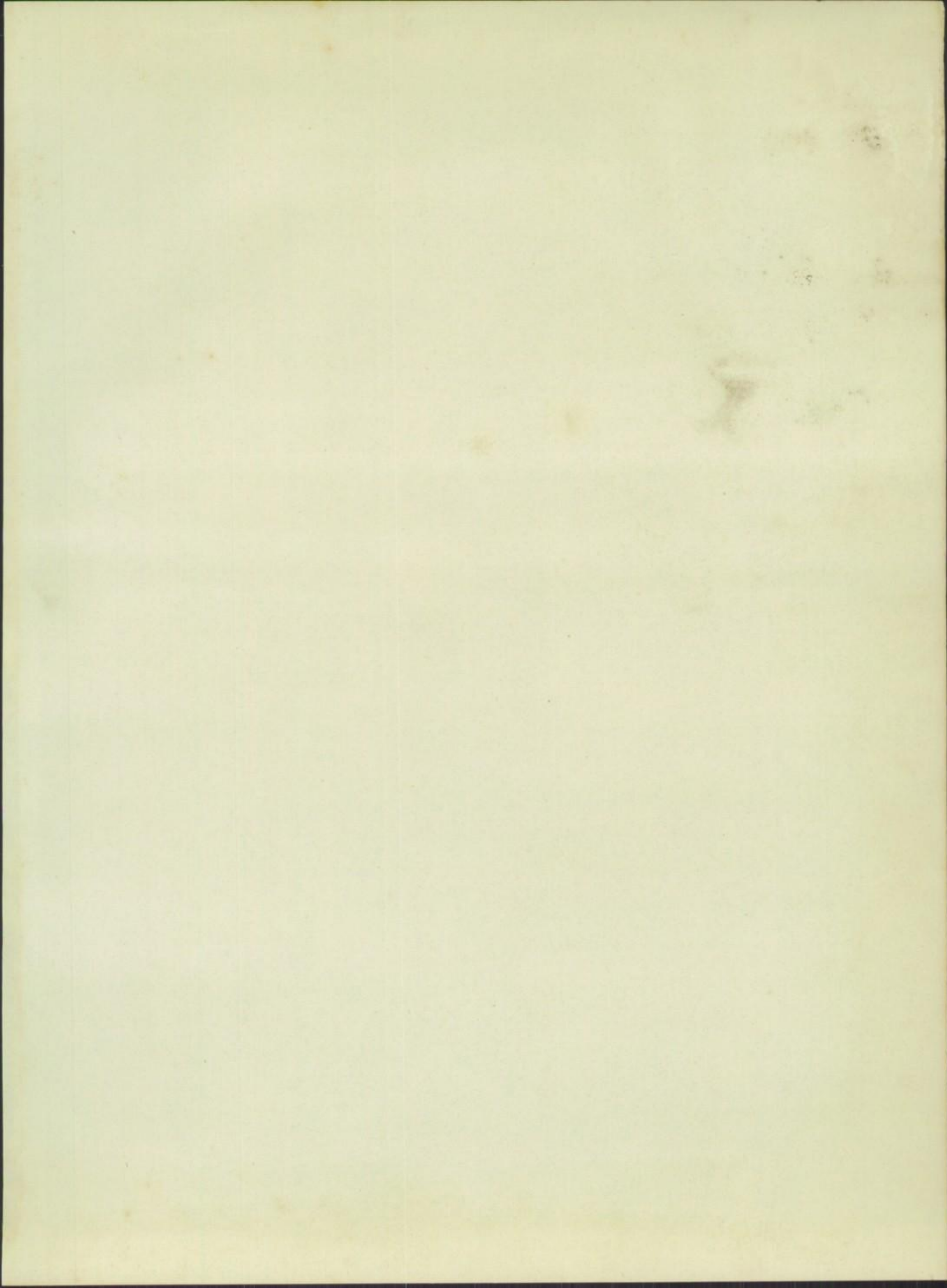
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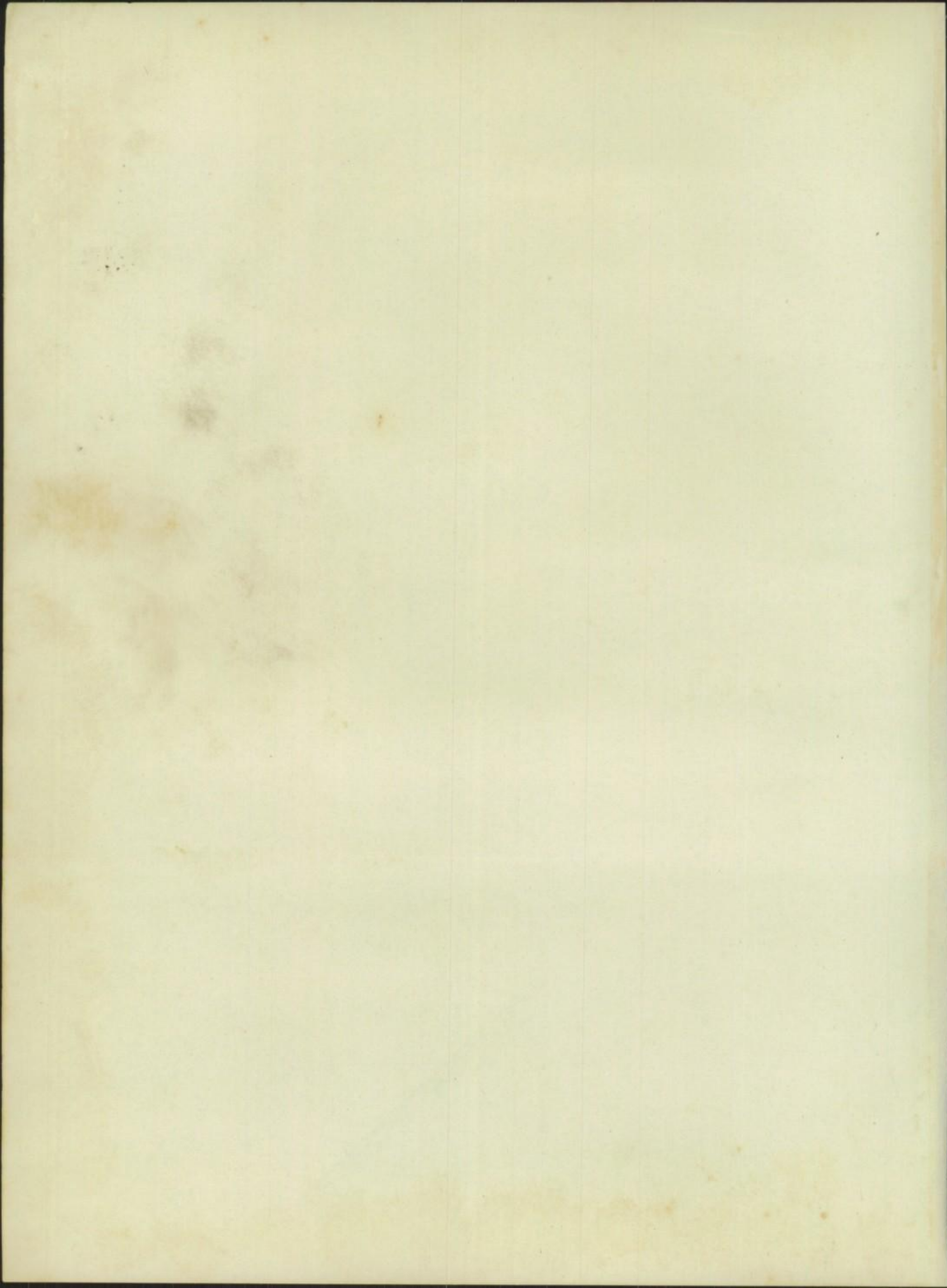
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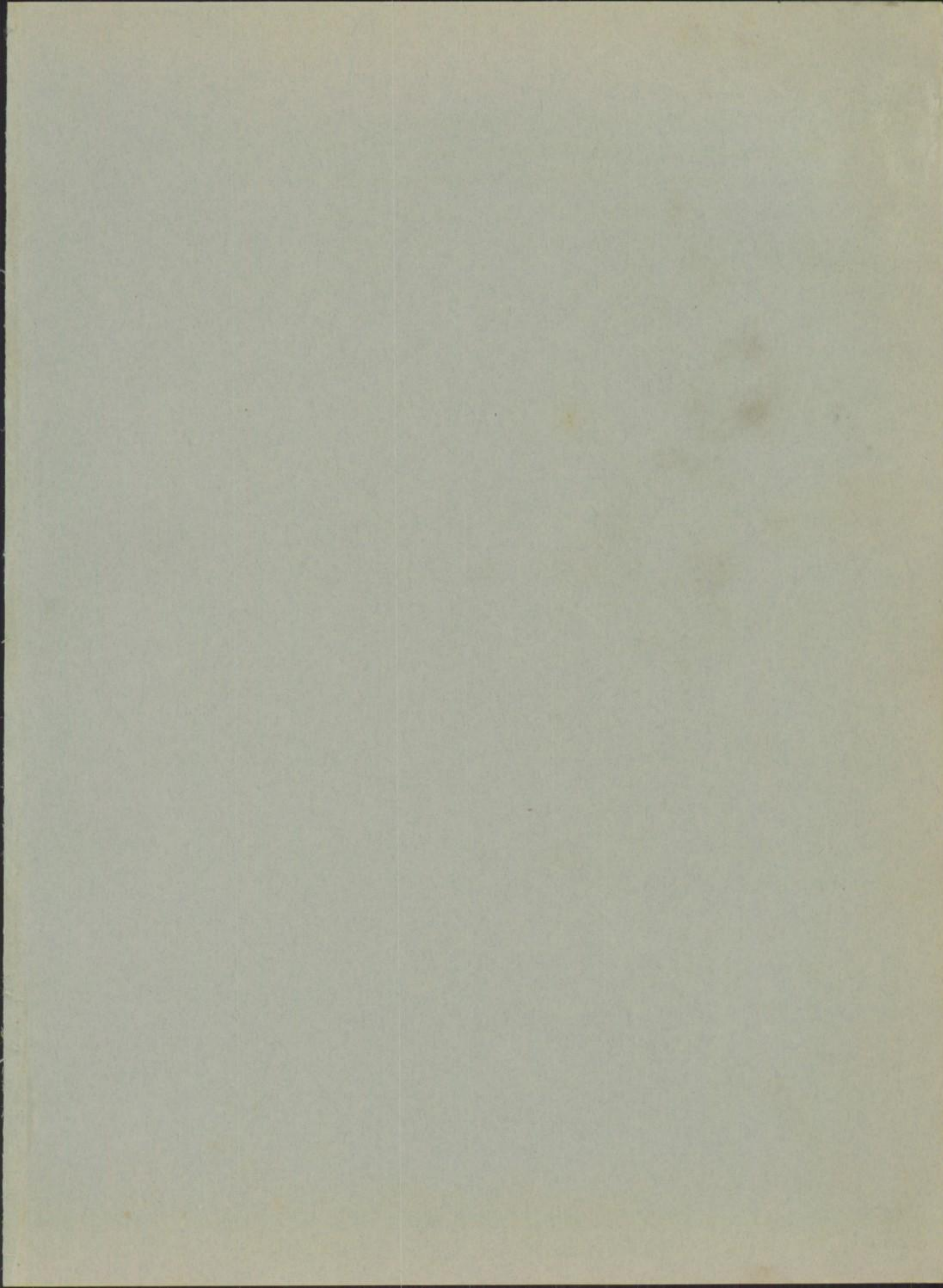
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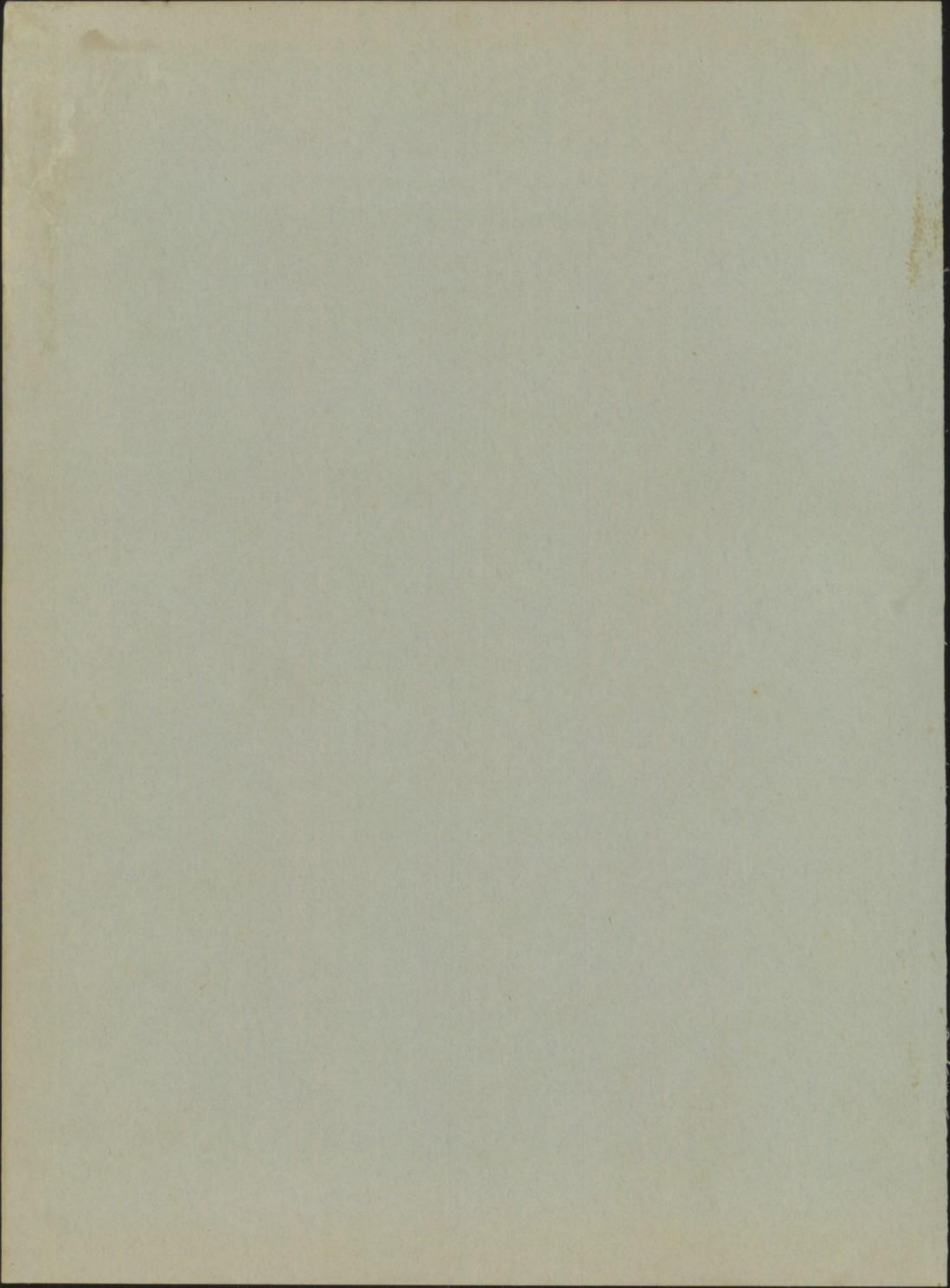
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